



Logic Lists English  
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Phrases & Clauses  
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## **PREFACE**

This volume follows on from the previous one, hence the same introductory pages but while it dealt with prefixed material, this one deals with suffixed material plus grammar, in the form of tenses, articles etc.

By the way, for all of your thinking English or indeed any language makes total sense – no it doesn't. This is because style means superfluous words are added to sentences for effect, just as silent letters appear in words to no effect, except to confuse the learner.

## INTRODUCTION

The material in this book is a mixture of common written and spoken forms in English, mainly cliches. Some of the clauses stand alone as complete sentences, however small, others need to be connected to other words to make sense (phrases).

The layout also teaches sentence construction through uniting these odd phrases and clauses, plus odd words. It also teaches word order and how this can affect meaning as in “Enough said?” versus “You’ve said enough!”

I – love – red – trousers  
You – like – green – shirts  
We – hate – hard – hats

Think of the *vertical* variations as being like a fruit machine – you pull the handle, the wheel spins and new variations are created through the combination (I, you, me etc).

Sentences are composed of *horizontal* lines across a page, with variations and combinations that can replace words within it, indicating time and place etc. (past, present and future tenses as well as conditionals like could, would, should etc). The structure is also made up of verbs, nouns, adjectives and articles. Commonly, short sentences can start off either with personal pronouns as above (I, you, him, her, it, we, they and other variants) or interrogatives if questions (who, how, why, when, where, what etc).

Combinations of words are like parts added onto single words (suffixes and prefixes) in that they modify the meaning of the message conveyed (create a different code). This is how words can confuse because we try to make sense of them based on an earlier configuration. Instead of doing this, we need to make sense of them based upon the present arrangement: Note also how certain forms of a word are used only with certain other words, to denote particular meanings (**be** happy / **been** ill / you’re **being** silly). Even words and phrases can have multiple meanings and like individual words that change (grammatically) through additions, so new words tacked on to phrases, can alter meaning as well.

Television and films as well as radio, show how tone of voice can convey meaning easier than written word forms (“That’s funny” can be literal or when used with a quizzical expression, can mean ‘odd’). The former two mediums can also display meaning through gesture, which wireless alone cannot express.

In this volume I also start introducing idioms, which I hope to cover in depth in the next book.

‘Living German’ by Buckley, has the right approach to language learning in my opinion because it is a simple build up of form and sentence structure (grammar / vocabulary), unlike most other methods that come in at too complex a level.

Lastly, I would like to thank Collins dictionaries for their simple format as it has allowed me to find and arrange suitable material for my own approach to language acquisition, quickly and efficiently (The Oxford English Dictionary is fine for scholars, out to research the roots of particular words but it carries too much information for the novice, when it comes to teaching purposes).

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# SECTION ONE:-

## SUFFIXED

## MATERIAL

Give off	What is it?	What's the time?
Kick off	Who is it?	One at a time!
Shut off	When is it?	In due time
Get off!	Where is it?	Tea time!
I'm off!	Do it!	High time
Gone off	Shoot it!	In time
Head off	Kill it!	No time
Shoot off	Isn't it?	By the time
Start off	Don't judge it	Do time
Post off	I like it!	For a time
Send off	Mix it	Just in time!
Right off	Make it	Long time
Write off	I can't make it	Pass the time
Log off	That's not it	Call time
Sign off	That must be it	At that time
Turn off	Forget it	All in good time
Far off	Stop it!	Do you have the time?
Sound off	Quit it!	Is that the time?
Chew off	Shut it!	That's the last time
Bite off	Touch it	Time after time
Push off	Feel it	Journey through time
Shove off	Smell it	Have a good time
Rub off	Taste it	This time
Run off	Look at it	Full time
Shirk off	See it?	Half time
Cut off	Watch it!	Part time
Set off	You're it!	
Hit it off	Love it	
Pull off	I hate it!	
And they're off!	Missed it	
Put off	That's torn it!	
Cast off		
Peel off		
See off		
Switch off		
Day off		

Curry club	Rich man	Side on
Join the club!	Poor man	Turn on
In the club	Blind man	Back on
Flying club	Short man	Jump on
Bridge club	Tall man	Come on!
Golf club	Fat man	Set on
Football club	Thin man	Go on
Boxing club	Bald man	Write on
Rugby club	Dead man	Right on!
Night club	Big man	And so on
Snooker club	Small man	Chew on
Kennel club	No man	Work on
Squash club	Good man	Play on
Tennis club	Bad man	Hop on
Jockey club	New man	Get on
Christmas club	Hard man	Sign on
Diving club	A man's man	You're on!
Caving club	Old man	Pile on
Yacht club	Young man	Hold on!
Sports club	My man	Switch on
Social club	Lonely man	
Athletics club	Solitary man	
Gentleman's club	He's his own man	

Run out	Sunken ship	Left side
Sign out	Board ship	Right side
Give out	Her majesty's ship	On side
Hand out	Supply ship	Off side
Live out	Jump ship	Far side
Be out	Passenger ship	Near side
Come out	Cruise ship	Rear side
Day out	Pirate ship	Front side
Far out!	British ship	On the side
Not out	German ship	At my side
Pass out	Launch a ship	By the side
Right out	Abandon ship!	Five a side
You're out!	Sailing ship	Show your good side
Turn out	Merchant ship	Are you on my side?
Cut out	Chinese ship	You're on his side!
Call out	Japanese ship	On the other side
Shut out	American ship	Your side
Get out!	Italian ship	My side
Write out	Russian ship	A side
Send out	Greek ship	B side

First class	Topple over	Fairy folk
Second class	Bowl over	Strange folk
Business class	Knock over	Foreign folk
Third class	Kick over	Poor folk
World class	Shove over	Rich folk
Economy class	Write over	Old folk
Destroyer class	Right over	Young folk
Upper class	Edge over	Good folk
Middle class	Fire over	Bad folk
Lower class	Shoot over	Short folk
Working class	Hit over	Tall folk
Maths class	Just over	Deaf folk
English class	Pass over	Married folk
Language class	Sign over	Single folk
Evening class	Turn over	Married folk
Dance class	Trip over	Happy folk
Art class	Fall over	Sad folk
Top of the class	Up over	Quiet folk
Top class	Way over	

Brown paper	Ancient times	Talk shop
White paper	Former times	Greengrocer's shop
Set paper	Roman times	Blacksmith's shop
Exam paper	Good times	Clothes shop
Backing paper	Bad times	Closed shop
Writing paper	At times	Flower shop
Printer paper	In Victorian times	Health food shop
Parchment paper	Anglo-Saxon times	In a shop
Term paper	Recent times	Record shop
Wet paper	The Times	Paper shop
On paper	The London Times	Corner shop
Copier paper	New York Times	Coffee shop
Wrapping paper	It's a sign of the times	Tea shop
Toilet paper	Past times	Sports shop
Tissue paper	Just like old times!	Charity shop
Waterproof paper	Edwardian times	Toy shop
Greaseproof paper	Hard times	Bicycle shop
Coloured paper	Glorious times	Cop shop

That feels so good!	Give me your hand	Christmas tree
Be good!	Hand-in-hand	Palm tree
Do good	On hand	Rubber tree
It's no good	Give me a hand	Beech tree
It's for good	Eating out of my hand	Cherry tree
He's good!	Lend me a hand	Apple tree
It looks good	Near at hand	Pine tree
It's quite good	It's got out of hand	Lemon tree
It tastes good	My good hand	Bay tree
It smells good	It's in hand	Pear tree
I'm good	Long-hand	Oak tree
It sounds good	Short-hand	Shoe tree
Very good	An old hand	Tea tree
All well and good	I've cut my hand	Yew tree
You're good!	Gloved hand	Fir tree
It might be good	Play a hand	Fruit tree
That's good	Rotten hand	Up a gum tree

Nice girl	Get in	Little sign
Ugly girl	Get a look in	Big sign
Fat girl	Be in	No sign
Good girl!	See in	Railway sign
Bad girl!	He's in	Traffic sign
Local girl	Are you in?	Road sign
Friendly girl	It's just in	Warning sign
Pretty girl	I'm in	That's a bad sign
Beautiful girl	All-in	That's a good sign!
The dead girl	He's not in	Just sign!
She's my girl	Rub it in	For sale sign
Little girl	Kick it in	There's no sign
Big girl	Shut in	Shop sign
Quiet girl	Cut in	Pub sign
She's some girl!	Throw in	Some sign
Charming girl	Chuck in	Smoke sign

On the floor	Red wine	Come again
First floor	White wine	Once again
Second floor	Rose wine	Start again
Top floor	Bottle of wine	Do it again
Ground floor	Glass of wine	Go again
This is my floor	Fine wine	Right again!
Take to the floor	Sparkling wine	He's up again
Dance floor	Dessert wine	He's down again
Wet floor	French wine	It's that time again
Solid floor	German wine	Home again
Stone floor	Spanish wine	In again
Wooden floor	Italian wine	Not again!
Cement floor	Vintage wine	We're lost again
Tiled floor	Young wine	Late again
Slippery floor		

Up around	It's mine!	Special education
Turn around	It's not mine	Private education
Down around	Be mine	Secondary education
In around	Do mine	A good education
Get around	Fill mine	Grammar school education
Hop around	He's mine!	Higher education
Jump around	She's mine	College education
Dance around	It's mine	University education
Muck around	You're mine	Further education
Knock around	It's mine, all mine!	Adult education
Shoot around	Coal mine	Poor education
Right around	Gold mine	Basic education
Pass around	Silver mine	No education
Cut around	Diamond mine	In education

Blue eyes	Look me in the eye	Please go!
Brown eyes	Black eye	Don't go!
Green eyes	A roving eye	It's got to go!
Almond eyes	Glass eye	He's got to go
Red eyes	My good eye	You should go!
Dead eyes	Blind in one eye	Just go!
Sad eyes	Pleasing to the eye	My go!
Tired eyes	It caught my eye	Right, go!
Bloodshot eyes	Cut above the eye	You go!
Tear filled eyes	Cut below the eye	Your go
Tear stained eyes	We don't see eye to eye	It's all go
Frightened eyes	Poked in the eye	Always on the go
He didn't have any eyes	Shot in the eye	Time to go
Soulless eyes	Hit in the eye	Why not go?

At sea	Done in secret	Radio signal
All at sea	Can you keep a secret?	Hand signal
By the sea	In secret	Railway signal
Under the sea	Top secret	Traffic signal
In the sea	It's our secret	Await my signal
On the sea	It will be our secret	Short signal
Sail on the sea	What secret?	Long signal
Float on the sea	Share a secret	Smoke signal
Swim in the sea	Be secret	Weak signal
Mediterranean sea	Do it in secret	Strong signal
Aegean sea	It's no secret	No signal
Black sea	It's not secret	Poor signal
North sea	Meet in secret	I can't get a signal
Caspian sea		

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Charge across	Foreign army	Small area
Scuttle across	New model army	Big area
Cut across	German army	Large area
Shoot across	British army	Muddy area
Dart across	American army	Swampy area
Fly across	Russian army	Mountainous area
Leap across	French army	Grassy area
Run across	Scottish army	Frozen area
Jump across	Roman army	Flat area
Rush across	Chinese army	Rocky area
Hop across	Indian army	Hilly area
Get across	Canadian army	Wooded area
Step across	Napoleon's army	No-go area

What thing?	Rubber band	Jump down
It's a sad thing	Elastic band	Get down!
Dead thing	Jazz band	Pipe down!
You poor thing!	Gastric band	Write down
It's no big thing	Pipe band	Look down
Do the right thing	Brass band	Bring down
It's a good thing	Waist band	Fall down
That's just the thing	Military band	Knock down
It's just not my thing	Pop band	Shut down
Old thing	Boy band	Chuck down
Quite the thing	Big band	Goose down
That's the very thing!	Police band	Go up and down
It's the same thing	Wave band	Two up, two down

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When for?	In the garden	Below ground
What for?	Ornate garden	Above ground
Who for?	Long garden	On the ground
Go for	Vegetable garden	Rugby ground
Went for	Flower garden	Football ground
Look for	Big garden	Low ground
Hunt for	Small garden	High ground
Fight for	Walled garden	Wet ground
Long for	He's not in the garden	Damp ground
Queue for	Dig the garden	Soft ground
Reach for	Plant the garden	Hard ground
Search for	Winter garden	Rocky ground
Work for	Water garden	Fertile ground

Most value	Have another!	Fishing line
Least value	Want another?	Railway line
Some value	There's another	Eye line
No value	In another	Washing line
Great value	Give me another	Linen line
Little value	Not another!	Cross the line
Combined value	Be another	Wait in line
Its good value	Quite another	Get in line!
Poor value	Up another	Telephone line
Best value	Down another	Stay on the line
Superb value	You're another	Sign on the dotted line
Increased value	Here's another	Get off the line!

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In the right	Wedding ring	Use those
Turn right	Engagement ring	Take those
Go right	Telephone ring	Hide those
Come right	Circus ring	Show those
Do right	In the ring	Wash those
He's right!	Boxing ring	Dry those
That's not right	Give us a ring	Eat those
Who's right?	Long ring	Just those
That's just right	Short ring	I like those
It's my right!	Gold ring	Like those?
Oh right!	Diamond ring	Not those!
You're right!	Eternity ring	Careful with those!

Big dog	Dead end	Time and a half
Small dog	In the end	Give me half
Large dog	Far end	A good half
Good dog!	Blunt end	Second half
It's just a dog	Sharp end	First half
You old dog!	This end	Last half
Rabid dog	That end	My other half
Savage dog	Come to a violent end	Not half!
Wet dog	Closed end	Right half
Smelly old dog	Open end	Centre half
Guard dog	West End	Cut in half
Sniffer dog	East End	My better half

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In pain	In place	Hard surface
He's a pain!	Put someone in their place	Soft surface
Mental pain	Not in a good place	Cushioned surface
Physical pain	Take place	Flat surface
Chest pain	My place	Muddy surface
Shoulder pain	It's my old place	Rough surface
Stomach pain	Set in place	Smooth surface
Head pain	Put in place	Touch the surface
Leg pain	Out of place	Scratch the surface
Neck pain	It's a strange place	Sticky surface
Back pain	Take you place	Wet surface
Joint pain	<i>Between a rock and a hard place</i>	Road surface

In sequence	Gift box	Boy, oh boy!
Film sequence	Wooden box	Old boy
Dance sequence	Cardboard box	Big boy
Final sequence	Pine box	Small boy
First sequence	Top box	Young boy
Slow sequence	Hat box	Good boy!
Fast sequence	Jewellery box	Bad boy
Chase sequence	Telephone box	New boy
Fight sequence	Police box	Tea boy
Last sequence	Lunch box	Oh boy!
Musical sequence	Glove box	Be a good boy
Fantasy sequence		

That's nice	Be alone	Dirty trick
It's nice	Come alone	Magic trick
Be nice	He's alone	Party trick
Play nice	Home alone	Conjuring trick
You look nice	You're not alone	Nasty trick
That's not nice	Spend time alone	It's a trick!
It's quite nice	Very alone	That's some trick!
So nice	We're alone	Good trick
That's very nice	Are you alone?	Perform a trick
You're too nice	You're no longer alone	Cute trick!
Looks nice	Quite alone	Cheap trick

Energy field	You fool!	Climbing gear
Corn field	He's nobody's fool	Change gear
Wheat field	What a fool!	Good gear
Barley field	Get rid of that fool	In gear
Left field	You silly fool!	Outdoor gear
Playing field	Useless fool	Sports dog
Flooded field	Stupid fool	Cheap gear
Rugby field	Poor, misguided fool	Expensive gear
Football field	Lovesick fool	Winter gear
Electronics field	He's no fool	Do you like my gear?
Force field	You old fool	It's nice gear

Jump the gun	Look here!	Fresh injury
Machine gun	See here!	New injury
Big gun	It's just here	Leg injury
Short barrelled gun	Let me off here	Arm injury
Gatling gun	Near here	Hand injury
Long barralled gun	I'm here	Foot injury
Anti-aircraft gun	Just here	Chest injury
Anti-tank gun	Not here!	Serious injury
Pop gun	Here, here!	Eye injury
Toy gun	What are you doing here?	Internal injury
Top gun	What's going on here?	Old injury

Good people	Sharp pieces	Water treatment plant
Bad people	Broken into pieces	Power plant
Dead people	Smashed to pieces	Rubber plant
Poor people	He's in pieces	Flowering plant
Rich people	Long pieces	Egg plant
Old people	Short pieces	Pot plant
Young people	Chess pieces	Tea plant
Some people	Jigsaw pieces	Car plant
You people!	Fall to pieces	Production plant
Lots of people	It fell to pieces	Manufacturing plant
Common people	He's gone to pieces	Nuclear plant

Record player	Just for a second	Outer space
Football player	Give me a second	In space
Rugby player	What comes second?	Deep space
Long player	I'm second	I haven't got any space
Young player	He's my second	There isn't space
Old player	Not for a second	Short space
Squash player	I'll just be a second	Long space
Tennis player	He was gone for a second	That's my space!
Regular player	It won't take a second	Limited space
CD player	Come in second	Personal space
I-Player	Take second	Advertising space

Gem stone	Tactical unit	Head wound
Kidney stone	Mobile unit	Gunshot wound
Peach stone	Specialist unit	Bullet wound
Cherry stone	Military unit	Knife wound
Semi-precious stone	Armoured unit	Chest wound
Like a rolling stone	Cavalry unit	Stab wound
Lose a stone	Infantry unit	Stomach wound
Pick up a stone	Maternity unit	Exit wound
Throw a stone	Surgical Unit	Leg wound
Written in stone	Intensive care unit	Neck wound
Half a stone		

For one	Beat about	Board member
Good one	Dance about	Valued member
In one	Get about	Keen member
Just one	Jump about	New member
No-one	Mad about	Long standing member
Old one	Move about	Parliamentary member
Young one	Stomp about	Council member
New one	Go about	Upstanding member
Right one	Write about	Our youngest member
Left one	Turn-about	Right honourable member

Good relationship	In the round	First class ticket
Happy relationship	Walk round	Second class ticket
Long relationship	Step round	Third class ticket
Old relationship	Get in a round	That's the ticket!
Short term relationship	Tie round	Train ticket
Unique relationship	Fly round	Bus ticket
Successful relationship	Get round	Cinema ticket
Previous relationship	I'll come round	Coach ticket
Solid relationship	He'll come round	Parking ticket
Terrible relationship	My round!	Winning ticket

Swing door	Good effect	That's a rotten excuse!
Back door	Poor effect	Any excuse
Side door	Bad effect	Good excuse
Front door	Heightened effect	Poor excuse
Stage door	Long term effect	Just an excuse
Open door	To little or no effect	That's no excuse
Wooden door	Done for effect	Feeble excuse
Shut the door!	It had no effect	Usual excuse
Open the door	What an effect!	What an excuse
Kick down the door	In effect	Is that your excuse?

About face!	Get cold feet	Broken glass
Why the long face?	Wet feet	Stained glass
Scarred face	Two left feet	Antique glass
Happy face	Six feet	Cut glass
Hit in the face	What's that in feet?	Half a glass
Punched in the face	My poor feet!	Full glass
Pretty face	Dirty feet	Long glass
Ugly face	Smelly feet	Pint glass
Pull a funny face	Muddy feet	Wet glass
Smiley face	Forty feet	Coloured glass

You can't help!	That's him!	Iron horse
Get help	Get him!	Cart horse
You're no help	Hit him!	Shire horse
Seek help	Kill him!	Black horse
I can help	Shoot him!	Chestnut horse
Do you need help?	It's not him	Get on a horse
That should help	Oh him!	Get off a horse
That would help	Give it to him	Ride a horse
That could help	I like him	Saddle a horse
What would help?	That's just like him!	Vaulting horse

Open house	Red paint	Technical information
It's on the house	Gold paint	Passing information
In the house	Black paint	I've got information
Search the house	White paint	Vital information
Big hopuse	Oil paint	We've received information
Small house	Face paint	Passed on information
Full house	Gloss paint	Rich source of information
Road house	Emulsion paint	We've no information
Manor house	Wet paint	<i>We've got more information</i>
Town house	War paint	<i>We've got fresh information</i>

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Set the scene	In deep shock	Good shot!
Make a scene	What a shock!	I've been shot!
Create a dreadful scene	Die of shock	What a shot!
It's not my scene	It'll be a shock	I'll give it a shot
Music scene	It's a great shock	It's a long shot
Fashion scene	It was no great shock	You should be shot
Emotional scene	Electric shock	Useless shot
First scene	Personal shock	Take a pot shot
Last scene	It was such a shock	Long distance shot
Final scene	It was just a shock	Close up shot

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The State	Make a statement	On the bottom
In a state	An official statement	At the bottom
In a poor state	Press statement	Sign on the bottom
In a terrible state	Police statement	Big bottom
In a shocking state	Short statement	Soggy bottom
Soviet State	False statement	Glass bottom
Russian State	Voluntary statement	Wet bottom
Foreign state	Witness statement	Wide bottom
Leave in a state	Libellous statement	No bottom
Independent state	Slanderous statement	The very bottom

Rigid structure	Rising star	Paper bag
Bone structure	Film star	Cloth bag
Long structure	Rock star	Plastic bag
Short structure	Wish upon a star	Carrier bag
Simple structure	Soap star	Gladstone bag
Complex structure	Gold star	Leather bag
Soft structure	Shooting star	Overnight bag
Hard structure	Five star	Ablution bag
Strong structure	Travel to a distant star	Tea bag
Weak structure		

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Tomato juice	Political union	Get along
Orange juice	Trade union	Be along
Apple juice	Soviet Union	Come along
Pineapple juice	Teacher's union	Hop along
Grape juice	Student's union	Move along
Grapefruit juice	Farmer's union	Pass it along
Cranberry juice	Western Union	Right along
Fruit juice	Shop worker's union	Run along
Lemon juice	Monetary union	Shoot along

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Don't ask	They've gone away	Reading material
I won't ask	I'll be away	Synthetic material
I must ask	Fly away	Building material
Just ask	He's away	New material
Big ask	Pass away	Old material
Please ask	Right away!	Rigid material
Why ask?	Turn away	Soft material
You ask	Look away	Raw material
Before you ask	Wash away	Valuable material

Nursing mother	Get ready	Daily report
Young mother	Are you ready?	Weekly report
Single mother	Is it ready	Monthly report
Step-mother	I'm not ready	Yearly report
Birth mother	When I am good and ready	Government report
Foster mother	Just about ready	Good report
Good mother	When you're ready	Nothing to report
Bad mother	Oven-ready	Old report
Earth mother	When you're quite ready	New report
What a dish!	On edge	Full employment
She's a dish	Sharp edge	In employment
Exotic dish	Blunt edge	Full-time employment
Casserole dish	On the edge	Part-time employment
Vegetarian dish	Long edge	Long term employment
Meat dish	Short edge	Short term employment
Soap dish	Cut edge	Current employment
Shallow dish	Get the edge	Past employment
Deep dish	Naked edge	Future employment
Doe eyed	Fishing fleet	Bottom flight
Almond eyed	Mediterranean fleet	Top flight
Blue eyed	Pacific fleet	In flight
Brown eyed	British fleet	Long flight
Green eyed	German fleet	Short flight
Grey eyed	Spanish fleet	Good flight?
Dark eyed	American fleet	Missed your flight
Pie-eyed	Japanese fleet	Caught your flight
Bleary eyed	Russian fleet	Long haul flight

Left foot	Fill in a form	A better future
Right foot	In earthly form	Journey into the future
Up a foot	In its pure form	In future
Down a foot	Bad form	In the future
Get off my foot!	Show poor form	See into the future
Get off on the wrong foot	School form	Look into the future
Back a foot	On previous form	Have no future
The shoes on the other foot	The human form	Invest in the future
On foot	Past form	A brighter future

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Play a game	It looks great!	That's hard
It's a kid's game	That's great!	That looks hard
This is no game!	It doesn't look great	It must be hard
Are you game?	Sounds great!	It's very hard
It's just a game	Smells great!	Good and hard
It's my game	Feels great!	It's not hard
Board game	Tastes great!	It's too hard
Good game!	What's so great	Work hard
Raise your game	You look great!	You're hard!

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Off your head	At home	National holiday
Go to your head	Free to a good home	Bank holiday
School head	Come home	Working holiday
Big head!	Happy home	Busman's holiday
Dead head	I'm home	School holiday
My head!	It's my home	We all need a holiday
Lose your head	<i>Welcome to your new home!</i>	Local holiday
Win by a short head	He's not home	Fortnight's holiday
Soft in the head	Children's home	Weeks holiday

Good idea!	Medical insurance	Let down by the system
Bad idea	Car insurance	It's in the system
Original idea	Building insurance	You're part of the system
Creative idea	Personal insurance	Class system
Brilliant idea	Life insurance	Transport system
It's just an idea	Third party insurance	Solar system
I've no idea	Invalid insurance	Political system
That's a pleasing idea	Travel insurance	Sewage system
What an idea!	Home insurance	Electrical system

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Cheese sandwich	Art school	It'll be a sensation!
Ham sandwich	High school	Overnight sensation
Bacon sandwich	Secondary school	Strange sensation
Sausage sandwich	Junior school	Loss of sensation
Jam sandwich	Primary school	Pleasing sensation
Open sandwich	Grammar school	Unpleasant sensation
Corned beef sandwich	My old school	Latest sensation
Egg sandwich	He's old school	Lack of sensation
Club sandwich	Not in school	New sensation

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Linen sheet	Cast a spell	Instant success
Cotton sheet	Sit a spell	It was a great success!
Silk sheet	Stay a spell	Little success
Metal sheet	Long spell	Lack of success
Bath sheet	Can't spell	We had no success
Blank sheet	Short spell	Be a success
Charge sheet	Dry spell	Local success
Typed sheet	Hot spell	Rapid success
Ice sheet	Wet spell	<i>Have a good chance of success</i>

Wellington Boots	The British Navy	Good news
Rubber boots	The US Navy	Bad news
Football boots	The Russian Navy	Old news
Knee-length boots	The Japanese Navy	In the news
Thigh boots	The German Navy	Hot news
Leather boots	The French Navy	Any news?
Hobnail boots	The Royal Navy	No news
Hiking boots	The Merchant Navy	Regular news

In order	Land owner	Old age
In good order	Ship owner	Ice age
That's an order!	Dog owner	Iron age
New order	Car owner	Stone age
The old order	Estate owner	A good age
Right order	Business owner	Middle age
Wrong order	Farm owner	Golden age
In no particular order	Home owner	New age

You're leaving?	You're so mean!	I want more
I'm leaving	That's very mean	I can't take any more!
We're leaving	That's just mean	I can't take much more
The bus is leaving	That's not what I mean	There's more
The coach is leaving	What do you mean?	Far more
The train is now leaving	Who do you mean?	A lot more
I'm not leaving!	What can he mean?	No more!
He's leaving	I just mean...	Can I have some more?

Political movement	Firing range	Give it a rest!
Religious movement	Missile range	As for the rest...
First movement	Rocket range	No rest
Second movement	In range	A good rest
Third movement	Long range	Just rest
New movement	Short range	A long rest
Quick movement	Out of range	A short rest
Sly movement	Rifle range	I won't rest

Dark room	I get that	Just there
A big room	No that!	In there
Little room	Anything but that!	Over there
Light room	Oh that!	By there
Crowded room	Take that!	Along there
No room	It's just that...	Not there!
Wet room	Stop that!	Right there
Waiting room	Get that	You're right there

Do you want this?	In town	Good turn
Hide this!	County town	Bad turn
Just this	Country town	It'll do a turn
Give him this	Out of town	Right hand turn
Like this	Big town	Left turn
Not this	New town	It's my town!
Write this	Mining town	Take your turn
Watch this!	Small town	Don't speak out of turn

Fried egg	Foreign embassy	African elephant
Hard boiled egg	Russian embassy	Indian elephant
Poached egg	British embassy	Zoo elephant
Bird's egg	German embassy	Tame elephant
Chicken's egg	Chinese embassy	Wild elephant
Duck egg	American embassy	Circus elephant
Goose egg	Turkish embassy	Baby elephant
Easter egg	Egyptian embassy	Bull elephant

Poor example	Big fight	A cold fish
Bad example	Fierce fight	Freshwater fish
Living example	Good fight	Hook a fish
Another example	Long fight	Catch a fish
A good example	It's not my fight	Fried fish
Recent example	Short fight	Frozen fish
Great example	Water fight	Flying fish
Oustanding example	Lose a fight	Wet fish

Don't fire!	Air force	I bet you'll forget
Hold your fire!	Naval force	You won't let me forget
Cease fire!	Police force	You won't forget?
Coal fire	Military force	I didn't forget
Open fire	Spent force	Least we forget
Rapid fire	Strong force	I won't forget
Stoke the fire	Supernatural force	I can't forget
Catch fire	Attack force	Don't forget

Electric fuse	Mind the gap	Be gone!
Delayed fuse	That's a big gap	He's gone
Dynamite fuse	Close the gap	It's gone
Bomb fuse	Fill the gap	Long gone
Remove the fuse	Jump the gap	He's just gone
Long fuse	After a long gap	It's not gone
Short fuse	Leave a gap	Going, going gone!
Have a short fuse	Wide gap	Once it's gone, it's gone

Right, I'm going	Long hair	He broke my heart
It's going	Short hair	Learn by heart
I'm not going	Cropped hair	Don't take it to heart
I must be going	Curly hair	My heart!
Good going	Straight hair	He's got no heart
I'm just going	Blond hair	I've lost heart
You're going?	Dark hair	Have a weak heart
Are you going?	Wet hair	Strong heart

It's hot	Break the ice	Look inside
Boiling hot	Put on ice	Go inside
It's not hot!	Black ice	He went inside
It feels hot	Cold as ice	What's inside?
It's red hot	Pack ice	Can you see inside?
It's very hot	Glacial ice	Hidden inside
It's quite hot	Thick ice	There's nothing inside
It's white hot	Skate on thin ice	What's it like inside?

Driving instructor	Lacking in intelligence	Jump into
Diving instructor	Powerful intelligence	Leap into
Flying instructor	Military intelligence	Be into
Martial arts instructor	Superior intelligence	Look into
Karate instructor	Naval intelligence	See into
Judo instructor	Alien intelligence	Go into
Gym instructor	Artificial intelligence	He's into
Swimming instructor	We have good intelligence	I'm not into
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Russian invasion	Good parents	Bus passenger
German invasion	Bad parents	Train passenger
Chinese invasion	Foster parents	Coach passenger
Japanese invasion	Step parents	Ship's passenger
Hostile invasion	Poor parents	Air passenger
Alien invasion	My parents	Plane passenger
Roman invasion	Strict parents	Car passenger
Norman invasion	Lenient parents	Ferry passenger
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At peace	Back pay	First payment
Lasting peace	A week's pay	Second payment
Rest in peace	In lieu of pay	Legal payment
I can't get any peace!	A day's pay	Last payment
Can't I get any peace?	Good pay	Set payment
Be at peace	Poor pay	Poor payment
Go in peace	No pay	Rich payment
We come in peace	Low pay	Hire payment
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Old pence	That's perfect!	Gas pipe
Five pence	I'm not perfect	Sewage pipe
Ten pence	It's far from perfect	Water pipe
Twenty pence	It's not perfect	Hose pipe
Fifty pence	That's just perfect!	Plastic pipe
A half pence	She's perfect	Metal pipe
New pence	It looks perfect	Smoke a pipe
Two pence	It seems perfect	Leaking pipe

It's a plan	Metal plate	What's the point?
Good plan	China plate	I can't see the point
Well thought out plan	Thin plate	Good point!
Badly thought out plan	Registration plate	There's no point
Here's the plan	Car number plate	That's just the point
Sound plan	Steel plate	My point
Escape plan	Photographic plate	At some point
Business plan	Cracked plate	What's your point?

Just stop!	Fairy story	Busy street
Please stop	A likely story	Quiet street
Bus stop	It's a long story	Dead end street
Full stop	It's the same old story	Easy street
Dead stop	Short story	Long street
Long stop	Shaggy dog story	Short street
Short stop	Made up story	On the street
Don't stop	True story	Word on the street

Definite proof	Locked safe	This Saturday
Seventy percent proof	Is it safe?	Next Saturday
That's not proof	He's safe	On Saturday
You have no proof	It's not safe	Any Saturday
Lack proof	Open the safe	Every Saturday
Definitive proof	It's quite safe	By Saturday
Positive proof	Shut the safe	Last Saturday
We've got the proof	Close the safe	No Saturday

He won't say	That's what I said	The hot seat
I can't say	That's not what I said!	Take a seat
What did he say?	Did you hear what I said?	Car seat
I must say!	Enough said?	Passenger seat
I say!	Guess what he said?	The driver's seat
What did I say?	Well said!	That's my seat!
That's what you say	That said...	Reserved seat
Who can say?	Is that what I said?	Take a back seat

Common sense	That's serious	Court shoes
See sense!	You can't be serious	Black shoes
Good sense	I am serious!	Brown shoes
I sense...	Be serious	Suede shoes
That makes little sense	I'm deadly serious	Tennis shoes
<i>That doesn't make any sense</i>	Less serious	Golf shoes
That makes no sense	Very serious	Sports shoes
Visual sense	Nothing's that serious	Dress shoes

Caught short	Pop singer	Body and soul
It's a little short	Opera singer	Heart and soul
Cut short	Blues singer	He's a lost soul
Be short	Jazz singer	Good soul
It's just short	Carol singer	Life and soul
A few feet short	Lead singer	Kind soul
Very short	Backing singer	You've got no soul!
The till is short	Folk singer	Poor soul!

In stock	Go straight	Test case
Out of stock	See straight	Attache case
Chicken stock	Get it straight	Hard case
Beef stock	Cut straight	He's a case!
Vegetable stock	It's not straight	Plastic case
Fish stock	Set straight	Pencil case
From good stock	Are we straight?	Vanity case
Night scented stock	Sit up straight!	

Dark clouds	Vegetable curry	Theatre curtains
Black clouds	Mild curry	Draw the curtains
Thunder clouds	Hot curry	Open the curtains
Rain clouds	Balti curry	Lace curtains
Low clouds	Thai curry	Fire curtains
In the clouds	Green curry	Lined curtains
Head in the clouds	Red curry	Torn curtains

Motor vehicle	On view	Bad weather
Goods vehicle	Nice view	Under the weather
Horse drawn vehicle	Lovely view	Good weather
Licenced vehicle	Fine view	Hot weather
Battered vehicle	A good view	Cold weather
Wrecked vehicle	In view	Mild weather
Old vehicle	No view	Wet weather
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Surgical instrument	Strong intellect	Strong interest
Precise instrument	Powerful intellect	Lack of interest
Musical instrument	High intellect	Show no interest
Medical instrument	Low intellect	Zero interest
Percussion instrument	Poor intellect	In interest
Stringed instrument	Superior intellect	With interest
Wind instrument	Sharp intellect	Show some interest!
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I'm not interested	Caesarian section	I'll go look see
Look interested	Fiction section	I see...
Be interested	Non-fiction section	Go and see
Seem interested	The final section	I can't see!
You should be interested	The last section	Let me see
I could be interested	Long section	You see!
He's interested	Short section	We'll see
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Public service	TV set	Tea leaves
In service	Tea set	Autumn leaves
How can I be of service?	The jet set	Rustling leaves
Silver service	It's not set	Wet leaves
Good service	It's set	Dry leaves
Poor service	My old set	Oak leaves
No service	Film set	Sycamore leaves

He's left	Left leg	A long life
There's nothing left	Right leg	Short life
Come left	Blackleg	High life
Turn left	Back leg	It's my life!
Go left	Front leg	Past life
My left	Good leg	Good life
No-one's left	Bad leg	Anything for a quiet life

Open window	Spoken word	Make worse
Closed window	Common word	Get worse
Broken window	Long word	It couldn't be worse
Cracked window	My word!	You could do worse
Shut the window	Right word	It's far worse
Stained glass window	Wrong word	He's no worse
Sash window	The very word!	What's worse...

White rice	Car ride	On the road
Brown rice	Horse ride	Country road
Pudding rice	Short ride	In the road
Long grain rice	Take for a ride	You're in the road!
Short grain rice	Bumpy ride	Roman road
Egg fried rice	Motorbike ride	Hard road
Basmati rice	Cycle ride	Long road

The deep	Poor devil!	High fibre diet
In deep	Sexy devil	Bad diet
Down deep	You evil devil!	Good diet
Beauty is skin deep	Foreign devil	Poor diet
It's pretty deep	Lucky devil	Nutritious diet
It's very deep	You old devil	High protein diet
It's too deep	The silly devil!	Low fat diet

Second income	A big increase	German infantry
Unearned income	A small increase	British infantry
Taxed income	A high increase	French infantry
Little income	Little increase	Russian infantry
Earn a good income	No increase	Japanese infantry
High income	That's quite an increase	American infantry
Low income	It's on the increase	Canadian infantry

Red carpet	Made of	Bad air
Flying carpet	Kind of	Sea air
Hauled over the carpet	Sort of	Cold air
Wool carpet	Know of	Warm air
Hard wearing carpet	Big of	Hot air
On the carpet	Taste of	On air
Worn carpet	Smell of	Something is in the air

For all	Are you asking?	Brave attempt
Cover all	I'm asking	First attempt
All in all	He's asking	Second attempt
Be all	We're not asking	Good attempt
Give your all	Thanks for asking	New attempt
That's all	Just asking	Fresh attempt
That's not all	Who's asking?	Past attempt

Pop group	Strong grip	Low hedge
Pressure group	Weak grip	Long hedge
Army group	Get a grip	Short hedge
A large group	Hair grip	Wide hedge
A small group	Firm grip	High hedge
A single group	Good grip	In the hedge
In a group	Tight grip	Privet hedge

Ancient history	Eye patch	Forest path
Personal history	Cabbage patch	Dirt path
We've got history	Vegetable patch	Cinder path
World history	Not on my patch	Wet path
A long history	Wet patch	On the right path
Family history	Dry patch	Cycle path
Natural history	Muddy patch	Well used path
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Fish pie	Test pilot	Dental surgery
Pork pie	Fighter pilot	Brain surgery
Steak and kidney pie	Harbour pilot	MP's surgery
Apple pie	Helicopter pilot	Doctor's surgery
Cherry pie	Bomber pilot	Eye surgery
Mince pie	Commercial pilot	Heart surgery
Steak pie	Jet pilot	Have surgery
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It was a big surprise	Vague shape	Dirty shirt
What a surprise	Strange shape	Clean shirt
No surprise	Out of shape	White shirt
Surprise, surprise!	In good shape	Black shirt
Take by surprise	In bad shape	Cotton shirt
Birthday surprise	In terrible shape	T-shirt
It came as a total surprise	I'm in terrific shape	Polo shirt
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Put on the spot	Take the stand	That's for sure!
That's my spot!	Music stand	I'm pretty sure
Accident black spot	One night stand	Be sure
Cold spot	Hall stand	Are you sure?
Hot spot	Where do you stand?	I'm not sure
Damp spot	Make a stand	How can you be sure?
Wet spot	Last stand	Are you so sure?

Hockey team	Just then	We're through
Football team	I'ts then...	You're through
Rugby team	By then	I'm through
Cricket team	Do it then	Through and through
Darts team	Go then	Go through
Baseball team	It's me then	Come through
Basketball team	Well then	He's through
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I'm back on Thursday	Hot towel	Daily travel
Next Thursday	Wet towel	Train travel
By Thursday	Dry towel	Bus travel
Every Thursday	Hand towel	Coach travel
Come Thursday	Bath towel	Air travel
A week on Thursday	Beach towel	Time travel
Any day but Thursday	Tea towel	Space travel
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That's enough!	Dramatic entrance	Wooden fence
It's not enough	Make an entrance	Electric fence
That's not good enough	Private entrance	High fence
Fair enough	Side entrance	Low fence
He can't do enough	Back door entrance	Long fence
That's just enough	Front entrance	Short fence
That's long enough	Shop entrance	Painted fence
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Point the finger	That's not funny!	You're no fun
Broken finger	Think that's funny	What fun!
Cut finger	Terribly funny	Just for fun
Ring finger	Very funny	That looks like fun
Index finger	What's so funny	That's not much fun
Little finger	That's funny	Good fun
Middle finger	Now that's funny	That must be fun

Natural gas	It's genuine	Oh my God!
Laughing gas	He's genuine	My God!
Put your foot on the gas	It may be genuine	Good God!
It's a gas!	It looks genuine	Almighty God
Have a good gas	It could be genuine	A just God
Hit the gas!	Is it genuine?	The Old Testament God
Light the gas	Seems genuine	A living God
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Long grass	Dark matter	Private message
The smell of cut grass	What's the matter?	Secret message
Rye grass	It does matter!	Coded message
Short grass	Foreign matter	Long message
Blue grass	No matter	Short message
Dry grass	It's a delicate matter	Send a message
Wet grass	You matter!	Recieve a message
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In reply	Cheese roll	Every day
Good reply	Ham roll	Good day!
No reply	Bacon roll	It's been a long day
Quick reply	Fried egg roll	Not in my day
Long reply	On a roll	It's a new day
Short replay	Salad roll	At the end of the day...
Don't reply	Buttered roll	Some day
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Northern district	Bang on a drum	Sports editor
Southern district	Big drum	Political editor
Eastern district	Snare drum	Financial editor
Western district	Kettle drum	Newspaper editor
Military district	Oil drum	News editor
Council district	Toy drum	Magazine editor
Commercial district	Tin drum	Journal editor

British Empire	Good food	Pleasing gift
Roman Empire	Bad food	Wedding gift
Ottoman Empire	Hot food	Natural gift
Chinese Empire	Cold food	It's just a gift
German Empire	Fried food	Thank you for your gift
Russian Empire	Cooked food	A special gift
Mayan Empire	Raw food	Luxury gift
Woolly hat	Yes it is!	Labour Party
Peaked hat	What is?	Conservative Party
Fur hat	He is	Communist Party
Hard hat	Look who it is	Liberal Party
High hat	Guess who it is?	Political party
Old hat	Who is?	Dinner party
Bad hat	That is	Birthday party
Make your play	It's in the post	Tomato sauce
The ball's in play	First class post	Brown sauce
Long play	Second class post	Worcestershire sauce
Short play	Fence post	Soy sauce
TV play	Wooden post	Fish sauce
A new play	Metal post	White sauce
Shakespearean play	Concrete post	Barbecue sauce
Have a good season	Pop song	You gave me a start!
In season	Christmas song	I'll give you a head start
Short season	Traditional song	Don't you start!
The wet season	Sad song	A good start
The dry season	Hit song	Late start
Summer season	Folk song	For a start
Winter season	Old song	Early start

Negative emotion	Chicken wing	Hard woman
Bad emotion	Bird wing	Strong woman
Strong emotion	Right wing	Good woman
Show no emotion	Left wing	Old woman
Show lack of emotion	East wing	Pretty woman
Highly charged emotion	West wing	Young woman
Hard work	Alien world	Any thoughts?
Good work!	Dead world	Good thoughts
I'm off to work	Out of this world	Bad thoughts
Out of work	New world	What thoughts
Paid work	Old world	Strange thoughts
Voluntary work	Sad world	Your thoughts?
What do you think?	One in three	What are you thinking?
Don't think	Just after three	What were you thinking?
Do you know what I think?	At three	Good thinking!
Let me think...	By three	Just thinking
Have a good think	My three	You're not thinking
Just think...	It's not quite three	Right thinking
Sore throat	Scientific discovery	Deadly disease
Grabbed by the throat	Medical discovery	Wasting disease
Slit his throat	A new discovery	The spread of the disease
Got him by the throat	A recent discovery	Rapidly spreading disease
Hit him in the throat	Archeological discovery	Endemic disease
Dry throat	Historical discovery	Epidemic disease
Long distance	Please do	Car exhaust
Short distance	Yes do	Diesel exhaust
From a distance	I do	Motorbike exhaust
In the distance	This will not do	Vehicle exhaust
A day's distance	That will do!	Noisy exhaust
It's quite a distance	Will do	Hole in your exhaust

Spot of bother	Good experience	It's very expensive
Don't bother!	Bad experience	It's quite expensive
No bother	Horrific experience	It's really expensive
Why bother?	<i>It's long been my experience</i>	It's horribly expensive
It's no bother	Valuable experience	It's not that expensive
I don't want to be a bother	A positive experience	It's terribly expensive

At great expense	Black pen	Coloured pencil
At my expense	Red pen	Sharp pencil
At great personal expense	Blue pen	Blunt pencil
It's such an expense	Quill pen	Hard tipped pencil
It's worth the expense	Fountain pen	Soft tipped pencil
Hidden expense	Sheep pen	Propelling pencil

Short period	Mobile phone	Cooked meal
Long period	Work phone	Hot meal
Set period	Public phone	Bone meal
Quiet period	He's on the phone	Set meal
Rest period	Let me phone	Quiet meal
Dry period	Get the phone	Ready meal

Board meeting	Good memory	Heavy metal
A good meeting	Bad memory	Precious metal
Long meeting	Poor memory	Rusty metal
Short meeting	False memory	Burnished metal
Informal meeting	Long term memory	Polished metal
Important meeting	Short term memory	Solid metal

Explosive mixture	Blood money	Classical music
Poisonous mixture	Dirty money	Pop music
Toxic mixture	Good money	Folk music
Deadly mixture	Paper money	Gospel music
Lethal mixture	Old money	Religious music
Cough mixture	Tea money	Soul music

Cheap rate	It doesn't seem real	Rich reward
Expensive rate	It's not real	Poor reward
Poor rate	It can't be real	Financial reward
Good rate	You're not for real	Just reward
High rate	Get real!	Instant reward
Low rate	It's quite real	Cash reward
Low risk	Narrow roads	Filter tip
High risk	Back roads	Rubbish tip
Poor risk	Good roads	I'll give you a tip...
Good risk	Quiet roads	Blunt tip
It's too much of a risk	Bust roads	A good tip
It's a hell of a risk	Wet roads	Pencil tip
On top	Gravy train	Have this instead
At the top	Goods train	Use this instead
Bottle top	Passenger train	Do this instead
Halter top	Commuter train	Write this instead
Mountain top	Overnight train	Say this instead
Tank top	Underground train	Show this instead
Fancy dress	Driven to drink	Bus driver
Modern dress	Have a drink	Slave driver
Ballet dress	Soft drink	Coach driver
Formal dress	Alcoholic drink	Train driver
Long dress	Cold drink	Relief driver
Short dress	Hot drink	Designated driver
The English	The next episode	Some evidence
Broken English	Bizzare episode	No evidence
Written English	Strange episode	Give evidence
Speak in English	Recent episode	New evidence
What's that in English?	Old episode	Give in evidence
Spoken English	New episode	According to the evidence

Knife handle	You must have	Broken hearted
Spoon handle	I don't have...	Hard hearted
Fork handle	I have	Soft hearted
Long handle	You should have	Cold hearted
Short handle	You could have	Light hearted
Bone handle	I would have	Black hearted

State police	Psychic power	A high price
Secret police	Electric power	Low price
The Metropolitan Police	People power	Beyond price
Traffic police	A foreign power	Bargain price
Local police	Naval power	Name your price
It's the police!	Air power	Fixed price

Ground floor flat	It's on the shelf	Cracked shell
Penthouse flat	Top shelf	Soft shell
C flat	Bottom shelf	Hard shell
Basement flat	Off the shelf	Artillery shell
It's very flat	Book shelf	Empty shell
I've got a flat	Middle shelf	Rifle shell

It can't be too soon	After dinner speech	Black widow spider
Coming soon	Political speech	Money spider
He'll be here soon	Long speech	Wolf spider
See you soon	Give a short speech	House spider
It's too soon	A rousing speech	Trapdoor spider
Very soon	Maiden speech	Poisonous spider

Police station	Please stay!	Be still!
Railway station	Enjoy your stay	Sit still!
Radio station	Did you enjoy your stay?	Stand still!
TV station	Long stay	Dead still
Bus station	Short stay	Film still
Power station	I can't stay	Illicit still

Chocolate cake	Old clothes	Cold cream
Jaffa cake	Dirty clothes	Pot of cream
Christmas cake	New clothes	Clotted cream
Birthday cake	Good clothes	Whipping cream
Fruit cake	Clean clothes	Sour cream
Sponge cake	Work clothes	Double cream
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Military uniform	Brick wall	Hot water
Police uniform	Stone wall	Cold water
School uniform	Climb on top of the wall	Dirty water
Prison uniform	High wall	Icy water
Army uniform	Back wall	Still water
Nurses uniform	Rear wall	Open water
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Irish national	Wrong number	In the open
Grand National	E-number	Not open
Scottish National	Long number	Turn to open
English National	Here's my new number	Wedge open
French national	Old number	Break open
German national	Telephone number	Cut open
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It's original	In the long run	As a rule
It's an original	In the short run	Six inch rule
It's not original	He had a good run	Slide rule
Partly original	Chicken run	A fixed rule
Completely original	It will run and run	A guiding rule
Totally original	Trial run	A good rule
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Full term	Long distance runner	It won't be easy
Half-term	Fell runner	It's too easy
School term	Gun runner	It's not going to be easy
In the long term	Road runner	It should be easy
The correct term	Track runner	It looks easy
Short term	Olympic runner	It's very easy

Be early	Now and forever	I haven't forgotten
We're early	You can see forever	Gone but not forgotten
Come early	It goes on forever	Long forgotten
I like to get in early	You can't hide forever!	You've forgotten
It's too early	It's not forever	It's forgotten
I'm going early	It can't last forever	Best forgotten
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Has he gone?	Light green	Six string guitar
I've gone	Dark green	Bass guitar
That's it gone!	Leaf green	Twelve string guitar
He's too far gone	Bowling green	Spanish guitar
She's gone	Lime green	Acoustic guitar
Looks like they've gone	Village green	Slide guitar
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Fire guard	Fireman's helmet	On a high
Armed guard	Crash helmet	On high
Be on your guard	Policeman's helmet	Blown sky high
Be on guard	Safety helmet	Mile high
Train guard	Pith helmet	It's not high!
Old guard	Steel helmet	Up high
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TV screen	Film script	Go to seed
Film screen	TV script	Run to seed
Computer screen	Radio script	Plant a seed
Behind the screen	Roman script	Grass seed
Shower screen	Typed script	Flower seed
Project onto a screen	Handwritten script	Bird seed
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In store	That's strange...	Loose strap
Furniture store	That looks strange	Plastic strap
Food store	He's strange	Get the strap
Department store	It's strange	Leather strap
Bed store	It's not so strange	Shoulder strap
Record store	Very strange	Camera strap

Broad stripes	Brown sugar	Great suggestion!
Wide stripes	White sugar	Rude suggestion
Go-faster stripes	Castor sugar	What a suggestion!
Sergeant's stripes	Granulated sugar	It was his suggestion
Long stripes	Icing sugar	Final suggestion
Short stripes	Cup of sugar	Just a suggestion
Rain shower	History professor	North pole
Snow shower	Psychology professor	South pole
Hot shower	Law professor	Telegraph pole
Cold shower	Philosophy professor	Bean pole
I'm in the shower	Sociology professor	Slippery pole
It's just a light shower	Theology professor	Flag pole
Six piece	After a good interval	Have this in lieu
A big piece	During the interval	Use this in lieu
A small piece	In the interval	Do this in lieu
A little piece	After a short interval	Write this in lieu
Lost piece	A long interval	Say this in lieu
Hair piece	A week's interval	Show this in lieu
I'm an idiot	Grand hotel	Good friend
You're an idiot	Cheap hotel	He's a friend
He's an idiot	A good hotel	He's my friend
You idiot!	Budget hotel	Old friend
You little idiot!	Luxury hotel	Some friend!
You old idiot	My hotel	Fairweather friend
Plastic flowers	What else?	It makes no difference
A bunch of flowers	Who else?	What's the difference?
Dried flowers	Where else?	I'll make up the difference
Wild flowers	How else?	You can see the difference
Pretty flowers	Above all else	Feel the difference!
A bouquet of flowers	Before all else	I can't tell the difference

Fast recovery	A happily married couple	What now?
Slow recovery	Odd couple	By now
Speedy recovery	A good couple	For now
Make a good recovery	They're a right couple	Just now
Quick recovery	Strange couple	Right now
Rapid recovery	Nice couple	Not now!
Up ahead	A small amount	A sudden attack
Out ahead	A big amount	A heart attack
Far ahead	A good amount	Launch an attack
It's just ahead	Measured amount	Before the attack
It's years ahead	Large amount	After the attack
Months ahead	<i>That's just the right amount!</i>	Nuclear attack
Riding lesson	On leave	A foot long
Driving lesson	Don't leave!	A mile long
Diving lesson	Don't let him leave	An inch long
French lesson	Just leave!	So long!
Flying lesson	Please leave!	It's not long
Skiing lesson	By your leave	It's very long
Floor manager	Ant colony	Hot coffee
Bank manager	Bee colony	Cold coffee
Hotel manager	Termite colony	Milky coffee
Shop manager	Mars colony	Cup of coffee
Care home manager	Artists colony	Instant coffee
Night manager		
Right quantity	Of course	In question
Ample quantity	On course	Out of the question!
Large quantity	Off course	Good question
Small quantity	Golf course	No question
Good quantity	Language course	That's the question

Long queue	Who's next?	Night-night
Short queue	Up next	It was a good night
Jump the queue	On next	Wet night
Stay in the queue	Whatever next!	Once a night
Form a queue	What's next?	It's going to be a long night
Due north	Red nose	Soft rock
Magnetic north	Broken nose	Hard rock
Up north	Roman nose	Wet rock
True north	Big nose	Blackpool rock
The far north	Turned up nose	Crumbly rock
Flat roof	Deep roots	Back row
Tiled roof	Strong roots	Front row
Slate roof	Long roots	In a row
Thatched roof	Put down roots	Long row
Slopping roof	Pull up by the roots	Short row
It's in the rules	In the running	Indian tea
Strict rules	Out of the running	China tea
My game, my rules	Keep running!	Cold tea
Official rules	Ling running	Herbal tea
Rules are rules	Gun running	Lemon tea
Unpleasant taste	Ten out of ten	Below deck
Bitter taste	One in ten	All hands on deck
Salty taste	Half-ten	Record deck
Sweet taste	By ten	Poop deck
Nice taste	Quarter to ten	Quarter deck
First degree	School desk	Pocket dictionary
Second degree	Writing desk	Crossword dictionary
Third degree	Office desk	Rhyming dictionary
Science degree	Sports desk	Slang dictionary
Arts degree	The hot desk	It's in the dictionary

Car engine	Brown envelope	Standard equipment
Motorbike engine	Long envelope	Specialised equipment
Bus engine	Padded envelope	New equipment
Lorry engine	Registered envelope	Old equipment
Rusty engine	Sealed envelope	The right equipment
He made his escape	Feel the heat	A great height
There's no escape	Low heat	He fell from a height
Made good his escape	High heat	Six foot in height
Hid his escape	Dry heat	Average height
His last escape	The Heat	About my height
Follow the herd	Look at her!	Bullet hole
Cattle herd	It's for her	Water hole
Cull the herd	It's not her	Drill a hole
Large heard	That should please her	Fall into a hole
Whole heard	That's her!	Get out of a hole
On hire	On the hour, every hour	Two hours
For hire	Zero hour	Twenty four hours
Car hire	A good hour	It'll be hours
Room hire	In an hour	Work long hours
Tool hire	During the next hour	Work all hours
Can I get passed?	Day patient	Highway patrol
It's long passed	Former patient	On patrol
Look passed	Psychiatric patient	Desert patrol
It's well passed	Be patient	Sea patrol
The feeling has passed	Very patient	Foot patrol
Clothes peg	An old salt	My old sausage!
Nose peg	Take with a pinch of salt	Beef sausage
Wooden peg	Worth your salt	Pork sausage
Plastic peg	Sea salt	Cocktail sausage
Metal peg	Table salt	German sausage

What's the score?	He's a scream!	What are you saying?
Settle a score	Let out a scream	<i>Do you hear what I'm saying?</i>
The final score	Did you hear that scream?	That's not what I am saying
High score	A blood-curdling scream	That's what I'm saying
Music score	Don't scream	An old saying
On shore	Best in show	He's off sick
Swim towards the shore	Good show!	He phoned in sick
Row towards the shore	No show	He's very sick
Get on shore	They put on quite a show	I'm not sick
See the shore	Air show	You're sick!
Don't be shy!	I bet that's sore!	High pitched sound
He's shy	That looks sore	Deep sound
Coconut shy	It's sore	Distant sound
I'm too shy	Open sore	What was that sound?
Very shy	Very sore	It's sound
Not our sort	Tomato soup	Due south
He's a good sort	Tinned soup	Head south
Old sort	Pea soup	Fly south
New sort	Pea and ham soup	Travel south
The very sort!	Land in the soup	Veer south
Enough to spare	He's a good sport	Flying squad
He'll go spare!	Be a sport!	Firing squad
Room to spare	Old sport	Murder squad
Little to spare	Blood sport	Drug's squad
I've got nothing to spare	Water sport	Fraud squad
Foreign spy	Blood stain	On the stage
Industrial spy	Food stain	Final stage
British spy	Tea stain	Late stage
Russian spy	Wine stain	Initial stage
German spy	Grass stain	Last stage

Royal standard	Sick to the stomach	Electrical storm
Good standard	Big stomach	Big storm
Poor standard	Full stomach	Violent storm
High standard	Empty stomach	Eye of the storm
Set standard	Kick in the stomach	The calm before the storm
Kitchen stove	Wide stream	Show of strength
Wood stove	Shallow stream	High strength
Parafin stove	Hot stream	Low strength
Hot stove	Long stream	Medium strength
Light the stove	Short stream	Total strength
I must stress	At a stretch	College student
Less stress	Long stretch	University student
Suffer undue stress	A short stretch	Foreign student
Succumb to stress	Five year stretch	Language student
Reduce stress	Ten year stretch	Art student
Art studio	A loyal subject	Brown bear
Film studio	A serious subject	Teddy bear
Photography studio	Good subject	Black bear
Hair studio	Interesting subject	Polar bear
TV studio	Experimental subject	Grizzly bear
Chocolate biscuit	Grated cheese	Strawberry jam
Ginger biscuit	Cheddar cheese	Raspberry jam
Digestive biscuit	Hard cheese	Plum jam
Rich Tea biscuit	Soft cheese	Gooseberry jam
Garibaldi biscuit	Blue cheese	Be in a jam
Back door key	Master copy	I'm just looking
Front door key	A good copy	Foreign looking
House key	Valuable copy	Inward looking
Car key	Colour copy	Are you looking?
Musical key	Hard copy	Stop looking!

In love	Wild animal	First class mail
Make love	Tame animal	Second class mail
Fall out of love	Cold-blooded animal	It's in the mail
My love	Dead animal	Surface mail
Puppy love	Young animal	Registered mail
Black mark	Raw meat	By all means!
Dirty mark	Cooked meat	Covert means
Question mark	You're dead meat!	A man of means
High water mark	Horse meat	By no means
Leave your mark	Lean meat	<i>Do you know what this means?</i>
Going on a hot date	A good deal	Even in death
Best before date	Rough deal	Life after death
In date	My deal	Stabbed to death
Out of date	No deal	Shot to death
Up to date	That's a deal!	Beaten to death
Inner ear	Due east	Council estate
Chewed ear	Go east	Country estate
Cauliflower ear	Far East	Housing estate
Deaf in one ear	Middle East	Sink estate
My good ear	in the east	Large estate
In exchange	Beyond expectations	Art exhibition
Poor exchange	It met my expectations	Museum exhibition
Stock exchange	I have great expectations	What an exhibition!
Prisoner exchange	Based on past expectations	Set up an exhibition
Foreign exchange	It passed my expectations	What a ghastly exhibition!
A swift glance	I'm glad	Opera gloves
A passing glance	Be glad	Pigskin gloves
A quick glance	Very glad	Leather gloves
Just a glance	You should be glad	Rubber gloves
A cheeky glance	I'm not glad	Surgical gloves

Bright intervals	Rusty iron	Good investment
Sunny intervals	A hot iron	Bad investment
Showery intervals	Number five iron	Long term investment
Set intervals	Rule with a rod of iron	High yield investment
At intervals	Wrought iron	Short term investment
My good pair	Take part	Narrow passage
Old pair	Take in good part	Ship's passage
New pair	Take someone's part	Long passage
Worn pair	In part	Short passage
A right pair!	A large part	In the passage
Keep in step	A set of steps	Hockey stick
First step	First steps	Beat with a stick
The naughty step	Flight of steps	Walking stick
Short step	In easy steps	Make a charge stick
Dance step	A series of steps	Poke with a stick
In so much	See reason!	Good reasons
Not much	Within reason	I have my reasons
He doesn't do much	No reason	Two reasons...
It's too much!	For that very reason	My reasons are my reasons
It's all too much	What reason?	<i>Are you doing it for the right reasons?</i>
Album track	Mine does!	Lethal dose
Race track	Nobody does	Measured dose
Dirt track	Yes it does!	A small dose
Sound track	It just does!	A good dose
Fast track	What does?	High dose
Sugar free	Back to front	Don't play games!
I'm free!	It's in the front	Olympic games
I'm not free	Out front	War games
Get free	Face the front!	Winter games
Set free	At the front	Ball games

Child genius	At war	Freak wave
Scientific genius	World war	Long wave
You're a genius!	Cold war	Short wave
That's genius!	Nuclear war	Medium wave
What genius!	Class war	New wave
Mandarin orange	Night owl	Common assault
Seville orange	Barn owl	Violent assault
Jaffa orange	Tawney owl	Deadly assault
Agent orange	Eagle owl	Armoured assault
Blood orange	Screech owl	Sexual assault
Be attached	Semi-skimmed milk	Just a minute!
Become attached	Full cream milk	Wait a minute!
It's attached	Cows milk	For a minute...
Not attached	Goats milk	In a minute!
Solidly attached	Evaporated milk	A good minute
Norse gods	Oil platform	It's a puzzle
The Greek gods	Raised platform	Jigsaw puzzle
Roman gods	Station platform	Big puzzle
Egyptian gods	Rail platform	Crossword puzzle
Hindu gods	Underground platform	A hard puzzle
Joe public	Black pudding	Dark shadow
Very public	You pudding!	Long shadow
Go public	Eat pudding	In shadow
My public!	Christmas pudding	In someone's shadow
In public	Rice pudding	Scared of your own shadow
It's very sharp	Defense witness	I object!
F sharp	Prosecution witness	Money no object
C sharp	Hostile witness	Valuable object
Look sharp!	Expert witness	Precious object
Lift shaft	Unreliable witness	Interesting object

No agreement	That's remarkable!	Fibre rich
Some agreement	Quite remarkable	Protein rich
Are we in agreement?	Highly remarkable	Get rich
Long term agreement	It's not that remarkable	That's rich!
Solid agreement	It's remarkable	It's very rich
Lost in thought	It's a disgrace!	It's a fact
Just a thought	What a disgrace!	Solid fact
I have long thought... my very thought!	In disgrace	Hard fact
The very thought!	It's just a disgrace!	In fact...
	It's no disgrace	It's a little known fact
A fine figure	In focus	Rugby football
Public figure	Out of focus	Professional football
Low figure	Sharp focus	Amatuer football
Significant figure	Clear focus	League football
A good figure	Keep a tight focus	Table football
Bad fruit	Not guilty	I'm in a hurry
Old fruit!	Act guilty	Come on, hurry!
Passion fruit	Find the defendant guilty	Just hurry
Soft fruit	Feel guilty	I'm in no hurry
Citrus fruit	He's guilty!	Why hurry?
Flying insect	Appear in person	I'm surprised
Biting insect	You're a good person	I'm not surprised
Social insect	Strange person	I'm just surprised
Stinging insect	The very person!	I'm very surprised
Dead insect	I'm my own person	I'm really surprised
They have a good selection	It's too simple	Wrong answer
Make a selection	How can it be that simple?	Right answer
Rough selection	It looks simple	The correct answer
A vast selection	It's quite simple	Good answer!
That's quite a selction	It's very simple	The short answer

Silver coins	No parking zone	On the quiet
Gold coins	No fly zone	Be quiet!
Copper coins	Comfort zone	Far from quiet
Roman coins	Pedestrian zone	It's really quiet
Be quick	TV aerial	Oblique angle
You were back quick!	Car aerial	Right angle
Get in, quick!	Satellite aerial	Acute angle
Make it quick	Radio aerial	Ninety degree angle
Hydrogen atom	Bad apple	On call
Oxygen atom	Crab apple	Good call!
Plutonium atom	Ripe apple	House call
Sodium atom	Rotten apple	Telephone call
Car axle	Bad attitude	That's awful!
Rear axle	The wrong attitude	You are awful
Broken axle	The right attitude	He's awful
Front axle	Violent attitude	How awful!
Young lady	Foreign land	Never the less...
Old lady	Common land	No less
Little lady	Fertile land	A lot less
You're no lady!	Native land	More or less
Fire chief	Hot chocolate	That's very likely
Indian chief	Dark chocolate	That's not likely
Native chief	Milk chocolate	Sounds likely
Clan chief	White chocolate	Seems likely
Ocean liner	No limits	Black looks
Cruise liner	City limits	Odd looks
Passenger liner	Town limits	Strange looks
Eye-liner	Time limits	I've lost my looks

No, you look!	I'm at a loss	Too many
Take a long, hard look	It's a dead loss	There are so many
Take a quick look!	Weight loss	A good many
Did you look?	It's your loss	That's not very many
Being of sound mind	Fashion model	Fashion magazine
Unsound mind	Sports model	Car magazine
Keep in mind	New model	In-house magazine
Not in his right mind	Old model	Women's magazine
In a bad mood	Full moon	Give me a moment
In a good mood	Crescent moon	Give us a moment
In a silly mood	Once in a blue moon	Just a moment
In an ugly mood	New moon	At that very moment
In motion	Bad move	Just out of reach
Quick motion	Good move	It's within reach
Slow motion	My move	Long reach
Jerky motion	Your move	Short reach
Quick reaction	Hotel reception	With scant regard
Slow reaction	Good reception	No regard
No reaction	Poor reception	Hold in high regard
Fast reaction	Bad reception	Without regard
With regards	Highly regarded	Rich relative
In regards	Justly regarded	It's all relative
Kindest regards	Long regarded	Blood relative
Send my regards	Not regarded	Poor relative
Instant remedy	Cub reporter	Spare ribs
Old remedy	News reporter	Bruised ribs
Quick remedy	Court reporter	Kicked in the ribs
Quack remedy	Crime reporter	Broken ribs

Assault rifle	On the rise	It's risky
Hunting rifle	A rise	It's downright risky!
Sniper's rifle	Take the rise	Highly risky
Air rifle	No rise	It's too risky
Math's tutor	Brain damage	It's quite dangerous
English tutor	Fire damage	It's very dangerous
French tutor	Long-term damage	Highly dangerous
Latin tutor	Water damage	It's not that dangerous
I'm not dead	In debt	Slight delay
He's dead	Bad debt	Long delay
Long dead	Old debt	Timed delay
Quite dead	Financial debt	No delay
Cash deposit	No dice	First class delivery
Large deposit	Play dice	Second class delivery
Rich deposit	Slice and dice	Late delivery
Calcium deposit	Game of dice	Guaranteed delivery
Justice department	Badly designed	Medical doctor
Clothing department	Well designed	Good doctor
Government department	Poorly designed	Family doctor
It's not my department	Brilliantly designed	Spin doctor
On the double!	It's just a dream	Metal drill
She's her double	You had a bad dream	Masonry drill
Make mine a double	Vivid dream	Electric drill
See double	Waking dream	You know the drill
Rolling around drunk	Bone dry	The train's due
Town drunk	It's still not dry	It's long due
Dead drunk	It's very dry	It's not due
Very drunk	Boiled dry	When is the baby's due?

Solar eclipse	Absent father	At fault
Lunar eclipse	Good father	It's not my fault!
Total eclipse	Bad father	He's honest to a fault
Partial eclipse	Young father	It wasn't my fault
The nation's favourite	I live in fear	Chicken feathers
Everybody's favourite	Be in fear	Duck feathers
What's your favourite	Die in fear	Wet feathers
It's my favourite	No fear!	Geese feathers
Past fears	Oil filter	Once more with feeling
Future fears	Water filter	I have a funny feeling
Present fears	Air filter	I have a bad feeling...
Many fears	Cigarette filter	It's just a feeling
In at the finish	Have a fit	That's it fixed
Late finish	Get fit	Get it fixed!
Early finish	It doesn't fit	It's still not fixed
Close finish	He's not fit	You should get it fixed
Jump forward	Picture frame	Solid foundations
Work your way forward	In the frame	Crumbling foundations
Centre forward	Photo frame	Good foundations
The way forward	Door frame	Cement foundations
Who is it from?	Shut the gate	Electric gates
It's been sent from	Close the gate	Electronic gates
It's from	Iron gate	Wooden gates
He's from	Garden gate	Metal gates
In general	The next generation	Tethered goat
Director general	Our generation	You old goat!
Lieutenant general	The previous generation	Sacrificial goat
Major general	My father's generation	You stubborn old goat!

Evening gown	Light grey	Make the grade
Dressing gown	Dark grey	Fifth grade
Ball-gown	Prussian grey	High grade
Long gown	Earl Grey	Low grade
Shallow grave	Happy hunting grounds	House guest
It's grave	Coffee grounds	Be my guest!
Not long in his grave	Good grounds	My next guest
I'm afraid it looks grave	You need to show grounds	Hotel guest
Second guess	Grey haired	Bacterial infection
Good guess!	Blond haired	Fungal infection
I can guess	Fair haired	Viral infection
Last guess	Red haired	Cross infection
Desert islands	Red ink	It's long been an issue
The Channel Islands	Black ink	It's simply not an issue
The Hawaiian Islands	Blue ink	The big issue
The Galapagos Islands	Written in ink	Take issue
Beyond the pale	Window pane	In particular
You look pale	Glass pane	Nothing in particular
Carry a pale	Broken pane	I'm very particular
He looked very pale	Shattered pane	Wrong in every particular
Food particle	A bad penny	Black pepper
Sand particle	Waste of a penny	Chilli pepper
Atomic particle	I didn't see a penny	Red pepper
Dust particle	We didn't get a penny	Green pepper
Family photo	Insect pest	White petal
Black and white photo	Stop being a pest!	Red petal
Old photo	You're a pest!	Pink petal
Group photo	You little pest!	My little petal!

Do it from scratch	Wood screw	In search
Not up to scratch	Philips screw	Fingertip search
It's just a scratch	Prison screw	Conduct a house search
Start from scratch	Give it a good screw	A thorough search
Be secretive	Private sector	Go on strike
Highly secretive	Public sector	Lightning strike
Very secretive	Health sector	Long strike
Why so secretive?	Business sector	Short strike
Dangerous substance	Assisted suicide	Highly successful
Addictive substance	Commit suicide	Very successful
Deadly substance	It looks like suicide	Be successful
Lethal substance	It's not suicide	Pretty successful
Spit and polish	Night porter	I'm positive
Furniture polish	Hospital porter	Be positive!
Floor polish	Hotel porter	Are you positive?
Shoe polish	Railway porter	It looks positive
In practice	In the present	The American President
Medical practice	Be present	The Russian President
Football practice	Birthday present	Company president
Put into practice	That's a nice present!	Bank president
Freedom of the press	In the shade	Wooden shaft
Local press	Put in the shade	Long shaft
National press	Light and shade	Mine shaft
University press	Light shade	Lift shaft
Garden shed	That was a close shave!	Bomb shelter
Wood shed	Clean shave	Air raid shelter
Tool shed	Wet shave	Bus shelter
Coal shed	You need a shave	Nuclear shelter

Pigeon shoot	A loud shout	It's shut
Pheasant shoot	Let out a shout	Slam shut
Film shoot	Hear a shout	We're shut!
Plant shoot	It's my shout	<i>I could do it with my eyes shut</i>
Pick sides	Can I see you in private?	First prize
Change sides	We need to be private	Second prize
See both sides	That's private!	Third prize
Take sides	Keep private	The Noble prize
Car production	You should be proud!	Regular pulse
Food production	Act proud	Weak pulse
Post production	Show them you're proud	Take someone's pulse
Film production	I'm very proud	A strong pulse
A single punch	Without purpose	Given the push
Fruit punch	Lacking purpose	Give it a push
A hard punch	To some purpose	One last push
Lucky punch	You did it on purpose!	Final push
What's surprising?	Murder suspect	Get the sack
That's surprising	Crime suspect	Potato sack
It's not surprising	We have a new suspect	Hit the sack
That's very surprising	Chief suspect	In the sack
The ship's crew	Upper crust	Loud cry
The lifeboat crew	Hard crust	Hue and cry
Tugboat crew	Dry crust	Distant cry
Cabin crew	Rigid crust	Have a good cry
Blue whale	Christian name	Blood vessel
Sperm whale	Long name	Burst a blood vessel
Dead whale	Right name	Drinking vessel
Right whale	True name	Merchant vessel

Black market	Fully mature	Soft mattress
Cattle market	Very mature	Hard mattress
Stock market	Highly mature	Sprung mattress
The Common Market	Not mature	Foam mattress
Social elite	Long sighted	My last employer
Scientific elite	Short sighted	Former employer
Military elite	Far sighted	Good employer
Academic elite	Partially sighted	Old employer
No exit	Just as I expected	Should I be bothered?
Motorway exit	It's what I expected	Do I look bothered?
Fire exit	It's not what I expected	I couldn't be bothered
Make a quick exit	Long expected	<i>You shouldn't have bothered</i>
I'm happy	Sports hall	Hard headed
Be happy	Main hall	Light headed
I'm not happy	Church hall	Hot headed
I'm very happy	Village hall	Cool headed
I'm hit!	In hiding	Turn off the heating
A big hit	He needs a good hiding!	Turn on the heating
It's a hit	We're hiding	Central heating
I'm not hit	I'm not hiding	No heating
Don't, please!	Arsenic poisoning	Go against the grain
Do as you please	Cyanide poisoning	Wood grain
Home please	Lead poisoning	Short grain
Quiet please!	Food poisoning	Long grain
Be silent!	It's similar	Don't be so silly
It's all gone silent	It looks similar	I'm not being silly
Long silent	It's very similar	He's silly
You're silent	We're similar	Am I being silly?

Serving spoon	Four foot square	Postage stamp
Table spoon	Town square	First class stamp
Dessert spoon	Set square	Second class stamp
Soup spoon	Are we square?	Date stamp
Are you staying?	Salmon steak	Ship's steward
Where are you staying?	Rump steak	Race steward
I'm not staying	Sirloin steak	Airline steward
We're staying	Grilled steak	Shop steward
Black stockings	Drinking straw	Very stressful
Nylon stockings	That's the last straw!	Highly stressful
Silk stockings	Draw the short straw	Quite stressful
Surgical stockings	Wet straw	It's not that stressful
In support	A good neighbour	Like no other
Life support	Bad neighbour	Some other
Offer no support	My next door neighbour	What other?
Without support	New neighbour	Which other?
Liquid oxygen	I've had a little accident	Tourist route
Nitrous oxygen	Involved in a bad accident	Long route
Blood oxygen	Car accident	Short route
Out of oxygen	Fatal accident	Picturesque route
Don't be so rude!	One in a thousand	Tom Thumb
Dead rude	Every thousand	Stop sucking your thumb!
That is ever so rude!	Easily a thousand	As a rule of thumb
That's terribly rude	A good thousand	I hit my thumb
Hostile tribe	Extinct dinosaur	Exotic dishes
Primitive tribe	Plant eating dinosaur	A stack of dirty dishes
Indian tribe	Carnivorous dinosaur	Washing dishes
Native tribe	Jurassic dinosaur	Classic dishes

Wholemeal flour	Wild frontier	Modern furniture
White flour	Indian frontier	Antique furniture
Self-raising flour	The final frontier	Garden furniture
Plain flour	Crossing the frontier	Bedroom furniture
A positive gesture	The Globe	General hospital
A rude gesture	Around The Globe	Veterans hospital
An futile gesture	Circle The Globe	Military hospital
Worthless gesture	Fly round The Globe	Maternity hospital
Fishing hook	I'm ill	It's not included
Left hook	Be ill	The tip is included
Right hook	You're ill	It's long been included
Sling your hook!	I feel ill	Also included
Highly paid	Press pause	A big investigation
The low paid	Pregnant pause	Police investigation
Poorly paid	After a long pause	It's my investigation
Very well paid	Short pause	Historical investigation
Wood pile	Football pitch	It looks the same
A big pile	Cricket pitch	It is not the same!
Small pile	Rugby pitch	It doesn't feel the same
Carpet pile	Sales pitch	He's still the same
That's sensible	The court is in session	You're not sorry!
That's not sensible	Late night session	I'm so sorry!
Be sensible!	Private session	You'll be sorry!
I am being sensible!	Live session	Say you're sorry
Go at speed	Bed chamber	Feel a strong urge
Travel at speed	Gas chamber	Have a violent urge
Variable speed	Torture chamber	Sexual urge
Reach a high speed	Burial chamber	Insane urge

Christmas card	Prison cell	Murder weapon
Business card	Battery cell	Dangerous weapon
Playing card	Blood cell	A loaded weapon
Harsh winter	Cry wolf	In good nick
Hard winter	Timber wolf	In the nick
Cold winter	The big, bad wolf	Old Nick
A loud noise	Oh no!	What's the occasion?
He's a big noise	Hell no!	It's a special occasion
No noise!	Heck no	Quite an occasion
That's odd...	At once!	A military operation
He's odd	For once	Surgical operation
What's odd?	Not once	A major operation
Bodily organ	I'm on my own	Black Mass
Mouth organ	Part-own	Cancerous mass
Church organ	My very own	Land mass
Top marks!	In return	Medical research
On your marks...	By return	Scientific research
Scratch marks	A good return	Academic research
Wide river	High tide	That looks difficult
Broad river	Low tide	That's not difficult
White river	Rip tide	At times it is difficult
Film director	What a disaster!	Highly disturbed
Company director	Natural disaster	Emotionally disturbed
Artistic director	Worldwide disaster	Mentally disturbed
It's doubtful	A big drop	Without doubt
Highly doubtful	Long drop	The verdict is in doubt
Very doubtful	Short drop	No doubt

Planet Earth	Well educated	Highly affected
Not of this earth	Poorly educated	Badly affected
Buried in the earth	Highly educated	Not affected
The New Forest	Be forgetful	I keep forgetting
The Black Forest	I'm very forgetful	Not forgetting
Nottingham Forest	I'm plain forgetful	Aren't you forgetting?
In a gang	Girl guide	It's a bad habit
Criminal gang	Mountain guide	Get into the habit
My old gang	A handy guide	Wear a habit
Gain insight	Science institute	For goodness sake!
Lack insight	Business institute	For my sake
Have an insight	Medical institute	For God's sake!
Christian saint	That's swell	Free sample
Catholic saint	Tidal swell	Fresh sample
You're a saint!	That's just swell	Water sample
Fur seal	Home secretary	Fair share
Harbour seal	Personal secretary	Lion's share
Elephant seal	Private secretary	Give me my share!
Black sheep	Night shift	<i>Give someone the cold shoulder</i>
Lost sheep	Day shift	Hard shoulder
Dead sheep	Gear shift	Dislocated shoulder
Cash shortage	In shreds	The correct spelling
Food shortage	Torn to shreds	Wrong spelling
Water shortage	Ripped to shreds	Accepted spelling
Top coat	Good cook	Slate quarry
Leather coat	Oven cook	Gravel quarry
Frock coat	Partly cook	Disused quarry

No quarter	Fear of the unknown	Shoulder joint
Latin quarter	X, the unknown	Beef joint
The last quarter	Into the unknown	<i>Put somebody's nose out of joint</i>
Cut crystal	Car crash	In among
Lead crystal	Computer crash	Down among
Quartz crystal	Stock market crash	Not among
Broken ankle	Cut apart	Have a good appetite
Twisted ankle	Ripped apart	Poor appetite
Swollen ankle	Fall apart	No appetite
Heavy load	Sliced loaf	No love lost
Wide load	White loaf	Get lost!
Light load	Wholemeal loaf	Are you lost?
Time machine	Good luck!	Sex mad
Washing machine	Bad luck!	You're mad!
Sewing machine	No luck?	Quite mad
Black magic	Quick march!	Mild mannered
It appeared like magic!	Slow march	Well mannered
Stage magic	Long march	Bad mannered
Moral decay	I can't decide	I've decided
Tooth decay	Don't decide	It's not decided
Bodily decay	We should decide	We've decided
It lacks depth	Roe deer	Land developer
It has great depth	Red deer	Property developer
Hidden depth	Fallow deer	Late developer
Good design	Explosive device	That's different!
Rough design	Compact device	I'm different
Bad design	Plot device	It's just different

That's pretty!	In principle	In prison
You're pretty	On principle	He's just out of prison
It's very pretty	Scientific principle	He's back in prison
In print	That's the problem	Music producer
It's out of print	That's your problem	Film producer
Black and white print	No problem!	Executive producer
TV program	Science project	Pay for protection
Radio program	History project	Get protection
Music program	Pet project	Eye protection
Don't get too close	Look closer	Good advice
You're too close	Can't you get any closer?	Poor advice
That was close!	Don't get any closer!	Sound advice
Special effects	Secret agent	I can't agree
Side effects	Chemical agent	I must agree
The deceased's effects	Biological agent	I don't agree
He's still alive	Off the record	New recruit
Come alive	On the record	Raw recruit
Found alive	Long-playing record	Valuable recruit
Blood red	Some relief	Buddhist religion
In the red	No relief	Muslim religion
Bright red	Quick relief	Christian religion
Please remember	The remains	Cause trouble
I don't remember	Human remains	It's no trouble
Just remember	What remains	You're not in any trouble
Long trip?	Too true!	It's the truth!
That was a short trip!	That's not true!	In truth
Good trip?	Very true	Ain't that the truth!

The Channel Tunnel	Cast against type	Yes dear
An underground tunnel	Blood type	No dear
Out of the tunnel	He's the right type	Too dear
Wood pigeon	Well placed	Town planner
Clay pigeon	Be placed	Wedding planner
Racing pigeon	Not placed	Route planner
The pill	At a pinch	That's a pity
Headache pill	Feel the pinch	It's a pity
Morning after pill	Just a pinch	What a pity
Tie pin	Science fiction	In-fighting
Safety pin	Romance fiction	A day's fighting
Metal pin	Horror fiction	No fighting!
A short film	That's fine!	That's a first
Feature film	Parking fine	Get in first
A long film	Heavy fine	Be first
The National Flag	An old flame	A distinct flavour
The Union Flag	Naked flame	A delicious flavour
The Scottish Flag	Olympic flame	Meaty flavour
Fishing float	Hardwood flooring	In flower
Ice cream float	Parquet flooring	Garden flower
Carnival float	Laminate flooring	My old flower!
Brake fluid	Royal flush	Have a flutter
Lighter fluid	Straight flush	I'm all a flutter!
Brain fluid	Toilet flush	In a flutter
In one's natural element	Chinese emperor	A sudden emergency
Radioactive element	Roman emperor	A national emergency
Chemical element	Japanese emperor	A medical emergency

Bad eyesight	Open ended	Military escort
Good eyesight	It's just ended	Male escort
Poor eyesight	Up ended	Police escort
Good evening!	You're evil!	Ancient goddess
Warm evening	Pure evil	Divine goddess
Pleasant evening	An old evil	She's like a goddess
An own goal	Prison governor	A grand
A good goal	State governor	Staying at The Grand
That's my goal	School governor	That's grand!
Cold hands	You can't stop it happening	These things happen
Warm hands	It's not happening!	Why did it happen?
Wet hands	It's still happening	Don't let it happen
In for the long haul	It's an honour!	I'm hurt!
Short haul	It would be an honour	That hurt!
Good haul	Your honour	It's okay, I'm not hurt
Cloven hoof	Fox hunt	Job interview
Horse's hoof	Treasure hunt	Recorded interview
Cow's hoof	Local hunt	During the interview
The latest invention	Back page	<i>Put someone through their paces</i>
Scientific invention	Front page	Twenty paces
It's a new invention	Printed page	Go through their paces
In the past	Orange peel	A bag of peanuts
Half-past	Lemon peel	Salted peanuts
Quarter past	Chemical peel	Dry roasted peanuts
Foot pedal	Works pension	This is very personal
Bicycle pedal	Old age pension	It's not personal
Guitar pedal	State pension	Don't get so personal!

Give permission	So it seems	Don't take it personally
Get permission	This is not how it seems	Speaking personally
You don't have permission	All is not what it seems	<i>I'd like to thank you personally</i>
Have a seizure	A life sentence	That's sensational!
Heart seizure	A light sentence	Quite sensational
Brain seizure	Six month sentence	You were sensational!
A long silence	It's a mortal sin!	I haven't seen him since
Walk in silence	Live in sin	Not long since
A guilty silence	It's no sin	It is since...
She's single	Irish stew	Kick up a stink
Hit single	In a stew	You stink!
Be single	Beef stew	What a stink!
Create a stir	Wasp sting	Car auction
Make a stir	Jellyfish sting	Antiques auction
Give it a stir	Bee sting	House auction
Theatre audience	Record label	Foreign language
Cinema audience	Clothes label	Computer language
A live audience	Designer label	Dead language
Fly larva	Hollow laughter	Registered letter
Gnat larva	Muffled laughter	Chain letter
Mosquito larva	Canned laughter	Air mail letter
Short let	On the level	Dog licence
Long let	Eye level	TV licence
Room to let	It's not level	Driving licence
Bright lights	Shopping list	Have mercy!
City lights	A long list	Show no mercy
Traffic lights	Short list	Without mercy

It is without merit	Gas meter	Run a mile
It lacks merit	Electric meter	It's a good mile
Badge of merit	Water meter	About a mile
It's very mild	Rugby tackle	Ballistic missile
Quite mild	Fishing tackle	Guided missile
Pint of mild	A hard tackle	Surface-to-air missile
Wet rash	Tiger tank	Property tax
Skin rash	Fish tank	Road tax
Heat rash	Water tank	Inheritance tax
Fairy tales	Give thanks	Every fortnight
Malicious tales	No thanks	Once a fortnight
Stop telling tales	You have my thanks!	Twice a fortnight
Garden fork	Open forum	Good fortune
Tuning fork	Roman forum	It's worth a fortune
Plastic fork	Internet forum	Inherit a fortune
Bone fragment	Good Friday	The Bishop's palace
Pottery fragment	Every Friday	The Crystal Palace
Metal fragment	Next Friday	Buckingham Palace
Grease someone's palm	Say pardon	Mountain pass
Date palm	Grant a pardon	It will pass
Coconut palm	I beg your pardon!	Forward pass
Car park	Victory parade	Wet sponge
Safari park	Military parade	Victoria sponge
Theme park	Be on parade	Chocolate sponge
A hot spring	In good spirits	The engine has stalled
In the Spring	In high spirits	The talks have stalled
Bed spring	Methylated spirits	The car has stalled

Burn at the stake <i>What are you willing to stake?</i> <i>Do you realise what is at stake?</i>	Social standing In good standing Long standing	Good morning! Not a bad morning <i>We'll talk about this in the morning</i>
Shut your mouth! Open your mouth Have a dry mouth	Deadly rain Heavy rain Light rain	At the rear Bring up the rear Get to the rear
The human race The rat race Horse race	On the rocks Scotch on the rocks Slippery rocks	A pivotal role A dangerous role The lead role
That's rough Very rough In the rough	Back rub Give it a hard rub Gentle rub	That's rubbish! Worthless rubbish It's in the rubbish
Burnt toast White toast You're toast!	A broken tooth A gold tooth Long in the tooth	Bite your tongue Burn your tongue It's on the tip of my tongue
Hell's teeth! Rotten teeth No teeth	The common touch Keep in touch! Just a touch	I'm no expert Medical expert Gardening expert
Give extra A little extra Film extra	Pig farmer Dairy farmer Sheep farmer	<i>It's all shipshape and Bristol fashion</i> The latest fashion The height of fashion
Fish farm Pig farm Dairy farm	A piece of string Knotted string Guitar string	After a long, hard struggle Short struggle Give up the struggle

It's very strong	Do you suppose...	May I suggest?
It's too strong	I suppose	What do you suggest?
Twenty strong	I don't suppose	Can I suggest?
Solid fuel	Fancy gadget	It's your funeral
Liquid fuel	Scientific gadget	Going to a funeral
Fossil fuel	Electronic gadget	The day of the funeral
It's just a little bit further	Art gallery	I've just seen a ghost!
Look no further!	Shooting gallery	It must be a ghost
Don't go any further	Whispering gallery	We've caught your ghost
You look ghastly	Catch a glimpse	Something's got to give
Don't be so ghastly	A quick glimpse	Come on, give!
You're ghastly	Caught a glimpse	It lacks give
Epoxy glue	I'm in heaven!	Pickled herring
Rubber glue	Seventh heaven	A red herring
Wood glue	This is just heaven!	A shoal of herring
It's very heavy	Go to hell!	What's that in inches?
It's not heavy	I'm in hell	Twelve inches
It's quite heavy	It's just hell	Six inches
He's my hero!	A big impact	Move forward inch by inch
He's no hero	It will have little impact	A good inch
National hero	No impact	Just an inch
Computer image	Just imagine...	The British Isles
Blurred image	I can't imagine	The Western Isles
Poor body image	I can imagine	The Scilly Isles
A single item	Be informed	Data input
An expensive item	Well informed	Electrical input
A lost item	I've just been informed	We need your input

I'm innocent!	The red planet	Rubber plantation
He's innocent	Newly discovered planet	Tea plantation
Look innocent	Dead planet	Sugar plantation
I'm pleased	Sink plug	Breat pocket
You look pleased	Electric plug	Back pocket
I'm not pleased	Bath plug	Put it in your pocket
Flower pot	Baked potato	Undue pressure
Paint pot	Roast potato	Put under pressure
Plant pot	Sweet potato	Work under pressure
High priest	Let's pretend	
Parish priest	Just pretend	
Catholic priest	Let's not pretend	

# **SECTION TWO:-**

# **GRAMMAR**

## **SUBSECTION 2A**

**TENSES, AUXILIARIES,  
CONDITIONALS &  
IRREGULAR VERBS**

## REGULAR STATEMENTS

I kill*	I killed	I am killing
You kill	You killed	You <b>are</b> killing
He <b>kills</b>	He killed	He <b>is</b> killing
She <b>kills</b>	She killed	She <b>is</b> killing
It <b>kills</b>	It killed	It <b>is</b> killing
We kill	We killed	We <b>are</b> killing
They kill	They killed	They <b>are</b> killing
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I was married*	I will be married	I have been married
You <b>were</b> married	You will be married	You have been married
He was married	He will be married	He <b>has</b> been married
She was married	She will be married	She <b>has</b> been married
It was married	It will be married	It <b>has</b> been married
We <b>were</b> married	We will be married	We have been married
They <b>were</b> married	They will be married	They have been married
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I will have been married		
You will have been married		
He will have been married		
She will have been married		
It will have been married		
We will have been married		
<i>They will have been married</i>		
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I do it	I did it	I did do it
You do it	You did it	You did do it
We do it	We did it	We did do it
He <b>does</b> it	He did it	He did do it
She <b>does</b> it	She did it	She did do it
It <b>does</b> it	It did it	It did do it
We do it	We did it	We did do it
They do it	They did it	They did do it

I will do it  
You will do it  
He will do it  
She will do it  
It will do it  
We will do it  
They will do it

I have done it  
You have done it  
He **has** done it  
She **has** done it  
It **has** done it  
We have done it  
They have done it

I will have done it  
You will have done it  
He will have done it  
She will have done it  
It will have done it  
We will have done it  
They will have done it

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I have time\*  
You have time  
He **has** time  
She **has** time  
It **has** time  
We have time  
They have time

I had time  
You had time  
He had time  
She had time  
It had time  
We had time  
They had time

I will have time  
You will have time  
He will have time  
She will have time  
It will have time  
We will have time  
They will have time

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\*Note that these final words or objects of the sentence are variable, whereas the rest of the forms are not

## QUESTIONS

Am I killing?\*  
Are you killing?  
Is he killing?  
Is she killing?  
Is it killing?  
Are we killing?  
Are they killing?

Was I married?  
Were you married?  
Was he married?  
Was she married?  
Was it married?  
Were we married?  
Were they married?

Will I be married?+  
Will you be married?  
Will he be married?  
Will she be married?  
Will it be married?  
Will we be married?  
Will they be married?

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Will I have been found? Have I been married?  
Will you have been found? Have you been married?  
Will he have been found? Has he been married?  
Will she have been found? Has she been married?  
Will it have been found? Has it been married?  
Will we have been found? Have we been married?  
Will they have been found? Have they been married?

Do I do it?  
Do you do it?  
Does he do it?  
Does she do it?  
Does it do it?  
Do we do it?  
Do they do it?

Did I do it?  
Did you do it?  
Did he do it?  
Did she do it?  
Did it do it?  
Did we do it?  
Did they do it?

Will I do it?  
Will you do it?  
Will he do it?  
Will she do it?  
Will it do it?  
Will we do it?  
Will they do it?

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\* Note that simple 'I' forms + Archaic format  
(I kill (present) & I killed  
(past)) do not make  
questions in present day  
English

Have I time?*	Have I <b>got</b> time?	Will I have time?
Have you time?	Have you <b>got</b> time?	Will you have time?
<b>Has</b> he time?	<b>Has</b> he <b>got</b> time?	Will he have time?
<b>Has</b> she time?	<b>Has</b> she <b>got</b> time?	Will she have time?
<b>Has</b> it time?	<b>Has</b> it <b>got</b> time	Will it have time?
Have we time?	Have we <b>got</b> time?	Will we have time?
Have they time?	Have they <b>got</b> time?	Will they have time?

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Have I done it?	Will I have done it?+
Have you done it?	Will you have done it?
<b>Has</b> he done it?	Will he have done it?
<b>Has</b> she done it?	Will she have done it?
<b>Has</b> it done it?	Will it have done it?
Have we done it?	Will we have done it?
Have they done it?	Will they have done it?

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\* Note 'I had' series when + Archaic  
reversed (Had I) still  
remains a statement, not  
becomes a question

## NEGATIVE STATEMENTS

I won't kill  
You won't kill  
He won't kill  
She won't kill  
It won't kill  
We won't kill  
They won't kill

I didn't kill  
You didn't kill  
He didn't kill  
She didn't kill  
It didn't kill  
We didn't kill  
They didn't kill

I didn't do it  
You didn't do it  
He didn't do it  
She didn't do it  
It didn't do it  
We didn't do it  
They didn't do it

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I am not married  
You **are** not married  
He **is** not married  
She **is** not married  
It **is** not married  
We **are** not married  
They **are** not married

I was not married  
You **were** not married  
He was not married  
She was not married  
It was not married  
We **were** not married  
They **were** not married

I will not be married  
You will not be married  
He will not be married  
She will not be married  
It will not be married  
We will not be married  
They will not be married

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I have not been married  
You have not been married  
He **has** not been married  
She **has** not been married  
It **has** not been married  
We have not been married  
*They have not been  
married*

I will not have been here  
You will not have been here  
He will not have been here  
She will not have been here  
It will not have been here  
We will not have been here  
*They will not have been  
here*

I won't do it  
You won't do it  
He won't do it  
She won't do it  
It won't do it  
We won't do it  
They won't do it

I haven't done it  
You haven't done it  
He hasn't done it  
She hasn't done it  
It hasn't done it  
We haven't done it  
They haven't done it

I won't have done it  
You won't have done it  
He won't have done it  
She won't have done it  
It won't have done it  
We won't\* have done it  
They won't have done it

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I haven't time  
You haven't time  
He hasn't time  
She hasn't time  
It hasn't time  
We haven't time  
They haven't time

I hadn't time  
You hadn't time  
He hadn't time  
She hadn't time  
It hadn't time  
We hadn't time  
They hadn't time

I will not have time  
You will not\* have time  
He will not have time  
She will not have time  
It will not have time  
We will not have time  
They will not have time

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\*Will not / won't are  
interchangeable

## CONDITIONALS

I shall do it\*  
You shall do it  
He shall do it  
She shall do it  
It shall do it  
We shall do it  
They shall do it

I should do it  
You should do it  
He should do it  
She should do it  
It should do it+  
We should do it  
They should do it

I should have **done** it  
You should have **done** it  
He should have **done** it  
She should have **done** it  
It should have **done** it  
We should have **done** it  
They should have **done** it

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I can do it  
You can do it  
He can do it  
She can do it  
It can do it  
We can do it  
They can do it

I could do it  
You could do it  
He could do it  
She could do it  
It could do it  
We could do it  
They could do it

I could have **done** it  
You could have **done** it  
He could have **done** it  
She could have **done** it  
It could have **done** it  
We could have **done** it  
They could have **done** it

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I would do it>  
You would do it  
He would do it  
She would do it  
It would do it  
We would do it  
They would do it

I would have **done** it  
You would have **done** it  
He would have **done** it  
She would have **done** it  
It would have **done** it  
We would have **done** it  
They would have **done** it

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\* This is archaic and hardly used nowadays but you may hear it in films, set in an early English period of history (Will format usually replaces it)

+ You are more likely to hear 'That' used instead of 'It' in a sentence nowadays (or not at all) in a lot of these seven set groupings, depending upon the object of the sentence

> 'Will' has already appeared at the start of these section, used with 'Do it' as an ending

## QUESTIONS

Shall I do it?  
Shall you do it?\*  
Shall he do it?  
Shall she do it?  
Shall it do it?  
Shall we do it?  
Shall they do it?

Should I do it?  
Should you do it?  
Should he do it?  
She should do it?  
Should it do it?  
Should we do it?  
Should they do it?

Should I have **done** it?  
Should you have **done** it?  
Should he have **done** it?  
Should she have **done** it?  
Should it have **done** it?  
Should we have **done** it?  
Should they have **done** it?

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Can I do it?  
Can you do it?  
Can he do it?  
Can she do it?  
Can it do it?  
Can we do it?  
Can they do it?

Could I do it?  
Could you do it?  
Could he do it?  
Could she do it?  
Could it do it?  
Could we do it?  
Could they do it?

Could I have **done** it?  
Could you have **done** it?  
Could he have **done** it?  
Could she have **done** it?  
Could it have **done** it?  
Could we have **done** it?  
Could they have **done** it?

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Would I do it?  
Would you do it?  
Would he do it?  
Would she do it?  
Would it do it?  
Would we do it?  
Would they do it?

Would I have **done** it?  
Would you have **done** it?  
Would he have **done** it?  
Would she have **done** it?  
Would that have **done** it?  
Would we have **done** it?  
Would they have **done** it?

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\* Archaic – out of use  
nowadays

## NEGATIVE STATEMENTS

I shan't do it\*  
You shan't do it  
He shan't do it  
She shan't do it  
It shan't do it  
We shan't do it  
They shan't do it

I shouldn't do it>  
You shouldn't do it  
He shouldn't do it  
She shouldn't do it  
It shouldn't do it  
We shouldn't do it  
They shouldn't do it

I shouldn't have **done** it  
You shouldn't have **done** it  
He shouldn't have **done** it  
She shouldn't have **done** it  
It shouldn't have **done** it  
We shouldn't have **done** it  
They shouldn't have **done** it

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I can't do it>  
You can't do it  
He can't do it  
She can't do it  
It can't do it  
We can't do it  
They can't do it

I couldn't do it>  
You couldn't do it  
He couldn't do it  
She couldn't do it  
It couldn't do it  
We couldn't do it  
They couldn't do it

I couldn't have **done** it  
You couldn't have **done** it  
He couldn't have **done** it  
She couldn't have **done** it  
It couldn't have **done** it  
We couldn't have **done** it  
They couldn't have **done** it

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I wouldn't do it>  
You wouldn't do it  
He wouldn't do it  
She wouldn't do it  
It wouldn't do it  
We wouldn't do it  
They wouldn't do it

I wouldn't have **done** it  
You wouldn't have **done** it  
He wouldn't have **done** it  
She wouldn't have **done** it  
It wouldn't have **done** it  
We wouldn't have **done** it  
They wouldn't have **done** it

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\* Shan't is a contraction of  
Shall not

> Can't, couldn't, shouldn't  
and wouldn't are all  
contractions of can not,  
could not, should not and  
would not, which are also  
used

## IRREGULAR VERBS

I write*	I <b>wrote</b>	I have <b>written</b>
I ride	I <b>rode</b>	I have <b>ridden</b>
I rise	I <b>rose</b>	I have <b>risen</b>
I drive	I <b>drove</b>	I have <b>driven</b>
I give	I <b>gave</b>	I have <b>given</b>
I forgive	I <b>forgave</b>	I have <b>forgiven</b>
I forbid	I <b>forbade</b>	I have <b>forbidden</b>
I shake	I <b>shook</b>	I have <b>shaken</b>
I take	I <b>took</b>	I have <b>taken</b>
I fall	I <b>fell</b>	I have <b>fallen</b>
I eat	I <b>ate</b>	I have <b>eaten</b>

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I beat	I beat	I have <b>beat</b> en
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I blow	I <b>blew</b>	I have <b>blown</b>
I grow	I <b>grew</b>	I have <b>grown</b>
I know	I <b>knew</b>	I have <b>known</b>
I throw	I <b>threw</b>	I have <b>thrown</b>
I draw	I <b>drew</b>	I have <b>drawn</b>
I see	I <b>saw</b>	I have <b>seen</b>

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\* Note vowel change in  
middle and addition of 'N'  
in final column

I <b>get</b> *	I got	I have gotten
I <b>forget</b>	I forgot	I have forgotten
I <b>break</b>	I broke	I have broken
I <b>wake</b>	I woke	I have woken
I <b>awake</b>	I awoke	I have awoken
I <b>speak</b>	I spoke	I have spoken
I <b>freeze</b>	I froze	I have frozen
I <b>steal</b>	I stole	I have stolen
I <b>bite</b>	I bit	I have bitten
I <b>hide</b>	I hid	I have hidden
I <b>choose</b>	I chose	I have chosen

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I <b>wear</b>	I wore	I have worn
I <b>swear</b>	I swore	I have sworn
I <b>tear</b>	I tore	I have torn
I <b>lie</b>	I lay	I have lain+
I <b>sow</b>	I sowed	I have sown

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I <b>sew&gt;</b>	I sewed	I have sewn
I <b>show</b>	I showed	I have shown

\* Note vowel change at start of series, not middle but 'N' still constant

+ Note 'Y' changed to 'I'

These last two are totally irregular, except in adding 'N' at end

I ring	I rang	I have rung
I sing	I sang	I have sung
I spring	I sprang	I have sprung

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I sink	I sank	I have sunk
I stink	I stank	I have stunk
I shrink	I shrank	I have shrunk
I drink	I drank	I have drunk
I swim	I swam	I have swum
I begin	I began	I have begun

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I fly	I flew	I have flown
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I go	I went	I have gone
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I lose	I lost	I have lost
I keep	I kept	I have kept
I weep	I wept	I have wept
I sleep	I slept	I have slept
I sweep	I swept	I have swept
I creep	I crept	I have crept
I deal	I dealt	I have dealt
I feel	I felt	I have felt
I kneel	I knelt	I have knelt
I leave	I left	I have left

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I teach	I taught	I have taught
I seek	I sought	I have sought
I catch	I caught	I have caught
I fight	I fought	I have fought
I buy	I bought	I have bought
I bring	I brought	I have brought

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I spend	I spent	I have spent
I send	I sent	I have sent
I lend	I lent	I have lent
I bend	I bent	I have bent
I mean	I meant	I have meant
I build	I built	I have built

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I burn	I burnt*	I have burned*
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I sit	I sat	I have sat
I spit	I spat	I have spat
I meet	I met	I have met
I shoot	I shot	I have shot
I light	I lit	I have lit
I slide	I slid	I have slid

\* Interchangeable

I say	I said	I have said
I read	I read*	I have read*
I feed	I fed	I have fed
I flee	I fled	I have fled
I lead	I led	I have led
I hold	I held	I have held

I sting	I stung	I have stung
I swing	I swung	I have swung
I win	I won	I have won
I dig	I dug	I have dug
I hang	I hung	I have hung
I shine	I shone	I have shone

I tell	I told	I have told
I sell	I sold	I have sold
I lay	I laid	I have laid+
I make	I made	I have made
I pay	I paid	I have paid

I stand	I stood	I have stood
I understand	I understood	I have understood
I find	I found	I have found
I hear	I heard	I have heard

I strike	I struck	I have struck
I stick	I stuck	I have stuck

I run	I ran	I have run
I come	I came	I have come
I become	I became	I have become

\* Same spelling but  
different pronunciation

+ See also lie progression  
on page 90 as alternative

I put*	I put*	I have put
I let	I let	I have let
I bet	I bet	I have bet
I set	I set	I have set
I hit	I hit	I have hit
I split	I split	I have split
I quit	I quit	I have quit
I bid	I bid	I have bid
I cut	I cut	I have cut
I shut	I shut	I have shut
I hurt	I hurt	I have hurt
I burst	I burst	I have burst
I spread	I spread	I have spread
I cost	I cost	I have cost
I broadcast	I broadcast	I have broadcast

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\* Past and present have the same form in this grouping

## **SUBSECTION 2B**

ARTICLES, CONJUNCTIONS,  
PREPOSITIONS,  
INTERROGATIVES ETC.

## NON-SPECIFIC ARTICLES

A house*	An apple*
A car	An egg
A man	An orange
A dog	An apricot
A door	An edge
A sock	An ending

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## SPECIFIC ARTICLES

The letter	This door*	That door*
The house	This house	That house
The man	This car	That car
The car	This man	That woman
The dog	This woman	That man
The shoes>	This tree	That tree

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These houses+	Those dogs+
These cans	Those men
These men	Those tins
These doors	Those windows
These shoes	Those roads
These windows	Those animals

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\* Always singular

+ Always plurals

> Can be singular or plural

## INTERROGATIVES

### STATEMENTS

I am  
You are  
He is  
She is  
It is  
We are  
They are

### QUESTIONS

Am I?\*  
Are you?  
Is he?  
Is she?  
Is it?  
Are we?  
Are they?

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**Who** are you?+  
**What** are you?  
**Which** are you?  
**Where** are you?  
**How** are you?  
**Why** are you so upset?  
**When** do you leave?  
To **Whom** am I speaking?>

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\* Note that when a statement becomes a question, you reverse the order of the words

+ These mostly 'W' words are also used to ask questions

> 'Whom' is an antiquated form of Who and is rarely used nowadays, except in formal situations

## PREPOSITIONS

### COMPARISONS

As far as  
As long as  
As short as  
As many as  
As soon as  
As much as  
As few as

### DIRECTION

Back to front  
Here to there  
Me to you  
Side to side  
Right to left  
Top to bottom

### RESERVATIONS

I like it but  
It's nice but  
It's late but  
It's mine but  
I'm happy but

### INCLUSIVES

Not only Jim but Jake  
Not only yesterday but today  
Not only his ideas but mine  
Not only red but black

Both me and you  
Both tonight and yesterday  
Both hot and cold  
Both fat and thin  
Both in and out

Give and take  
Fat and thin  
Short and tall  
Little and large  
Me and you  
Them and us

One of those  
Some of mine  
All of yours  
Less of that  
More of them

### EXCLUSIVES

It's either him or me  
It's either black or white  
It's either done or not  
It's either right or wrong  
He's either in or out  
She's either mine or yours

It's neither right nor wrong  
It's neither black nor white  
It's neither in nor out  
It's neither left nor right  
It's neither hot nor cold  
It's neither fish nor fowl

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>DIRECTION</u>
On	At	Up
Off	On	Down
Out	By	Backward
In	As soon as	Forward
Above	Then	Away from
Below	Before	Sideways
Over	After	Towards
Under	From	Through
Among	Since	Onto
Amongst	While	Out of
Between	During	Into
Beside	Till	
Next	Until	
Next to	Just as	
With	At that point	
In front of	No sooner than	
In the middle of	Once	
To	When	
<u>CONDITION</u>	<u>REASONS</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Yet	So that	Some
But	Such that	None
Although	In order to	All
Though	In order that	Every
Provided that	For that reason	Each
Only if	Because of that	Any
Whereas	Now that	Most
Whether	Now when	
Unless	As though	
Even if	As if	
Only when		

## **SUBSECTION 3B**

### **PUNCTUATION**

## SENTENCE PUNCTUATION

Full stops ( . ) indicate the end of an idea – in other words you feel it is complete.

Commas, brackets, colons, semi-colons and dashes ( , ( ) ; : - ) indicate parts of a sentence – in other words they are part of the whole idea you are trying to convey or asides but not the complete thing.

An inverted comma (John's / didn't) indicates possession or a missing letter (did not). Inverted commas around a set of words indicate a quote, usually by someone else ("I am the greatest" Muhammad Ali).

Question marks indicate a question or doubt ( ? )

An exclamation mark equals surprise, certainty or a strong emphasis of some point ( I hate you! )

An asterisk refers to a point not explained in the main body of the text but as an aside at the end ( \* )

A stroke can act as an either / or point, or to break up two related points without using other punctuation

Capital letters are used at the start of sentences or as acronyms – that is words made up of a series of other words as shown in volume one (NUT – National Union of Teachers). They can also indicate proper names of people or place (John / London).

& equals and

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## ARITHMETIC

+ equals addition sign (add)

- equals minus sign (take away)

× equals multiplication sign (a number times itself)

÷ equals division sign (amount a number fits into another one – 7's into 21 for instance)

= equals, the equals sign ( $5+2=7$ )

% equals percentage sign (part of 100)

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Song (40)	Stamp (65)	Strange (46)
Soon (44)	Stand (37)	Strap (46)
Sore (51)	Stand/Stood (93)	Straw (65)
Sorry (66)	Standard (52)	Stream (52)
Sort (51)	Standing (75)	Street (32)
Soul (32)	Star (24)	Strength (52)
Sound (51)	Start (40)	Stress (52)
Soup (51)	State (23)	Stressful (65)
South (51)	Statement (23)	Stretch (52)
Sow/Sown (90)	Station (44)	Strike (62)
Space (20)	Stay (44)	Strike/Struck (93)
Spare (51)	Staying (65)	String (75)
Speak/Spoke (90)	Steak (65)	Stripes (47)
Speech (44)	Steal/Stole (90)	Strong (76)
Speed (66)	Step (54)	Structure (24)
Spell (27)	Steps (54)	Struggle (75)
Spelling (68)	Stew (73)	Student (52)
Spend/Spent (92)	Steward (65)	Studio (52)
Spider (44)	Stick (54)	Subject (52)
Spirits (74)	Stick/Stuck (93)	Substance (62)
Spit (92)	Still (44)	Success (27)
Split (94)	Sting (73)	Successful (62)
Sponge (74)	Sting/Stung (93)	Sugar (47)
Spoon (65)	Stink (73)	Suggest (76)
Sport (51)	Stink/Stunk (91)	Suggestion (47)
Spot (37)	Stir (73)	Suicide (62)
Spread (94)	Stock (33)	Support (65)
Spring (74)	Stockings (65)	Suppose (76)
Spring/Sprung (91)	Stomach (52)	Sure (37)
Spy (51)	Stone (21)	Surface (18)
Squad (51)	Stop (32)	Surgery (37)
Square (65)	Store (46)	Surprise (37)
Stage (51)	Storm (52)	Surprised (56)
Stain (51)	Story (32)	Surprising (63)
Stake (75)	Stove (52)	Suspect (63)
Stalled (74)	Straight (33)	Swear/Swore (90)

Sweep/Swept (92)	Through (38)	Unknown (69)
Swell (68)	Throw/Threw (89)	Urge (66)
Swim/Swum (91)	Thumb (65)	Value (17)
Swing/Swung (93)	Thursday (38)	Vehicle (34)
System (27)	Ticket (21)	Vessel (63)
Tackle (74)	Tide (67)	View (34)
Take/Took (89)	Time (8)	Wake/Woke (90)
Tales (74)	Times (12)	Wall (45)
Tank (74)	Tip (43)	War (55)
Taste (49)	To (97)	Was/Were (80/82)
Tax (74)	Toast (75)	Water (45)
Tea (49)	Tongue (75)	Wave (55)
Teach/Taught (92)	Tooth (75)	Weapon (67)
Team (38)	Top (43)	Wear/Wore (90)
Tear/Tore (90)	Touch (75)	Weather (34)
Teeth (75)	Towel (38)	Weep/Wept (92)
Tell/Told (93)	Town (29)	Went (91)
Ten (49)	Track (54)	Whale (63)
Term (45)	Train (43)	What (96)
Thanks (74)	Travel (38)	When (96)
That (29)	Tree (12)	Where (96)
The (95)	Tribe (65)	Which (96)
Then (38)	Trick (19)	Who (96)
There (29)	Trip (70)	Whom (96)
These/Those (95)	Trouble (70)	Why (96)
Thing (16)	True (70)	Will (80-83)
Think (41)	Truth (70)	Win/Won (93)
Thinking (41)	Tunnel (71)	Window (35)
This (29)	Turn (29)	Wine (13)
This/That (95)	Tutor (59)	Wing (41)
Those (17)	Type (71)	Winter (67)
Thought (56)	Understand/Understood	Witness (55)
Thoughts (41)	(93)	Wolf (67)
Thousand (65)	Uniform (45)	Woman (41)
Three (41)	Union (24)	Won't (84/85)
Throat (41)	Unit (21)	Word (35)

Work (41)  
World (41)  
Worse (35)  
Would (86/87)  
Wouldn't (88)  
Wound (21)  
Write/Wrote (89)  
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